

# FRENCH BATTLESHIP AND CREW OF 730 MEN BELIEVED LOST, ALLIED NATIONS ESTABLISH BLOCKADE OF ALL GREEK PORTS

## NO REPORT FROM THE SUFFREN

Paris, Dec. 8.—The battleship Suffren, which left port on Nov. 24, has not been heard from since, and the minister of marines considers the vessel lost with all on board.

The Suffren sailed for Lorient, a French naval station in Brittany. The French battleship Suffren displaced 12,750 tons. Her normal complement was 730 men. She was 410 feet long and was laid down in 1899. She was armed with four 12 inch, ten 6.4 inch and 4 inch guns, twenty-two 3 pounders, and four torpedo tubes. Last year the Suffren took part in the bombardment of the Turkish forts at the Dardanelles. She entered the straits to attack Turkish batteries and, according to an official Turkish announcement, was damaged seriously and withdrew in flames. She was sent back to Toulon for repairs.

## MORE SHIPS SUNK

London, Dec. 8.—The Anchor Line Steamship Caledonia, of 9,233 tons gross, is believed to have been sunk, says an announcement made today at Lloyds Shipping Agency.

London, Dec. 8.—Lloyds Shipping Agency announces that the Belgian steamer Ketter, 2,360 tons gross and the Norwegian Meteor have been reported sunk and their crews landed.

London, Dec. 8.—The Greek steamship Ipiras, 1,084 tons gross and the Norwegian steamship, Steffen, 1,431 tons gross have been sunk by a German submarine.

The Norwegian steamship Calcutta was fired upon by a German submarine and two members of her crew were killed.

## Constantine Is In Poor Health, Report

Paris, Dec. 8.—The health of King Constantine is again causing anxiety, according to news from German sources, says a Zurich despatch to the Matin. The old wound in the king's side continues to suppurate, the report says. The king's condition is said to be very weak.

## The Young Lady Across the Way



The young lady across the way knows her father doesn't. She knows any money around town because she overheard him say that he hadn't a dollar's worth of credit left anywhere.

## American Public Being Bulldozed And Stuffed By Stories About Ambulance Drivers, Says Member Of American Ambulance Corps In France, Flays Reports

(Editor's Note: The following letter written September 21, by Philip O. Mills, one of the volunteers in the American Volunteer Motor Ambulance Corps on the Verdun front in France, was received by Eliot Norton, a prominent attorney of New York City. Through the courtesy of Mr. Norton, the Times is able to publish it. The letter follows.)

DEAR ELIOT:—Through various channels the highly colored articles in magazines and newspapers about "The brave American boys" at the front—

come floating into our Corps stationed temporarily within sound and almost sight of the guns beyond the town of Verdun.

They are our greatest amusement and relaxation. I do believe our American public loves to be bulldozed and stuffed. The half-baked war correspondents who write the rot about the ambulance drivers at the front have an imagination that is stupendous and awe-inspiring. They should head their articles

"War As She Ain't"

Stories of regiments returning from the trenches crowding around ambulances to thank them

are bull, pure and simple. They are either too tired to do anything except keep walking or else are apt to sling the usual soldier jokes—same the world over.

Any fellow who cannot distinguish the sound of one of his own guns going off from a shell coming, is apt to spend a miserable life if he stays long in these parts.

Most wounded are too busy keeping their own nerve in both hands to bother about ball-room speeches. The first wounded load I had any acquaintance with had one among them who spoke English and his first question was—"when does the train leave for Paris?"

"Rules of the road"—there aren't any. Motors pass horse wagons because they are quicker. Camions pull out when they hear you if they hear and can pull out. One man has written "Ambulances come after troops, after ammunition and food wagons". Well what is there left on the road after all these, but ambulances. This road business is all a matter of expediency. If you can squeeze past a string of camions you do, otherwise you fall in line and wait your chance.

Because you see a star shell it doesn't mean you are within sight

of the Bosche and right behind the first line by a long shot, for you can see them 20 miles from behind the lines.

Sentries asking for pass words on roads under fire is foolish—and you can go right up to any front line trench if you are a big enough fool, without worrying about any pass word. Everyone takes it for granted you wouldn't be around there unless you had to. One night I went from way out beyond Verdun toward the lines back through the town and half way to Bar-le-Duc and no one wanted to know anything.

You can't make all life serious

out here and this "driving by the stars with an iron grip on the steering wheel" may please some people, but I can't see why.

I wish you could have seen our Corps the other day indulging in an afternoon game of one-old cat when five German Taubes came flying over. When they began dropping bombs every one did a 220 in record style and in all directions and did not wait for "Taubebomb" checks either. But even as they started to run the gang began to laugh and it developed into a pursuit race in two minutes.

Don't get the idea though that they come over every afternoon—they don't.

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## GERMANY OFFERS TO HELP GREECE

Athens, Dec. 8. (Via London).—The blockade of Greece begins officially at 8 o'clock this (Friday) morning. The members of the British naval mission have been ordered to embark on the Greek trans-Atlantic liner King Constantine. In response to the demand of the entente yesterday for an explanation of the movements of Greek troops, the government has explained that these movements have ceased.

Berlin, Dec. 8.—A despatch from Switzerland, as forwarded from Rome to the wireless press, says Germany and Austria have offered their services to Greece in opening land communications if Greece declares war on the entente.

## RUSSIANS OPEN NEW OFFENSIVE

Petrograd, Dec. 8.—(Via London).—The Russians have taken the offensive in the wooded Carpathian district, and a battle is in progress there, the war office announced today.

## ROUND UP RUMANIANS

New York, Dec. 8.—The rounding up of Rumanian troops is being continued by the Tauric forces. The latest statement by the German war office announces the capture of 8,000 additional prisoners, together with 26 guns.

Apparently this body of men, with its artillery, had been trapped in western Wallachia by the speedy advance of the Teutons, as the statement mentions the capture as taking place on the Alt river, a stream long since passed by the invading armies on their way to Bucharest.

The situation north and east of Bucharest, following the surrender of the capital, has not yet been clarified by the official reports. Seemingly the Rumanians and such Russian troops as were aiding them are still on the retreat northeastward, rapidly leaving the remainder of southeastern Wallachia in the hands of Field Marshal Von Mackensen and military commentators for the most

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## EMBARGO BARS WEST FROM SHIPPING COMMODITIES TO EAST FOR EXPORT

Chicago, Dec. 8.—Embargo orders which practically bar the west from shipment of commodities for export from Atlantic ports or for eastern consumption went into effect on the Pennsylvania Lines and the Erie railroad east of Chicago today.

Two other railroads, the New York Central Lines, and the Washburn ordered embargoes today. The Washburn placed an embargo on grain shipments, and the New York Central on all foodstuffs except perishables and live stock.

The orders bar virtually every commodity, the usual exceptions being made, however, for perishable freight in transit and for United States government shipments. H. C. Snyder, assistant general freight agent of the Erie, explained that the order of his road "even applies to live stock to the extent that we no longer accept live stock from connecting lines."

No limit is set on the duration of the embargo, which is attributed to the congestion of loaded freight cars in the yards on the Atlantic Seaboard.

Notice of the embargo was served on the connecting lines by the two roads some time ago. The Pennsylvania order forbids agents to accept freight from connecting lines, which is destined for points east of Pittsburgh. The Erie order fixes Marion, Ohio, as the farthest east point of destination. Staple food stuffs, which do not require cold storage, are forbidden by the embargo from going east of the Pittsburgh-Marion lines. This would apply to potatoes, flour, beet sugar, and canned goods. Such commodities as wheat, corn, building materials and manufacturing articles also are brought under the ban of this embargo orders.

## MARIETTA VOTES WET

Marietta, O., Dec. 8.—Marietta will remain "wet" as the result of yesterday's local law election. The wets received 1761 votes and the dries 1677, a majority of 84 for the wets. Marietta has been wet for five years. For three years previous to that it was dry.

Yesterday's election is the culmination of the bitterest campaign ever waged here between prohibition and saloon forces. Marietta, in the last regular election, on November 7, voted an ordinance to close saloons here at 6 o'clock in the evening. The ordinance was defeated by 350 votes.

## Probe Strikes Fraud?

Cincinnati, O., Dec. 8.—Intimation that the federal grand jury inquiry into alleged election fraud in Cincinnati and vicinity is discussing evidence to support

the charges of vote buying was given today by District Attorney Bolin when he declared that the investigation is "progressing more than satisfactory."

## TO QUIZ GROCERS

Chicago, Dec. 8.—The Federal grand jury investigating the high cost of foodstuffs will hear testimony as to conditions in the retail grocery trade, Charles F. Glynn, United States District Attorney, announced today. Mr. Glynn said that a list of nearly 500 grocers for whom summons would be issued within a few days, is being prepared.

It was asserted that an attempt will be made to determine if an agreement exists between the retailers whereby they are enabled to lower or raise prices simultaneously and whether any of them buy lower grades of food at grade prices and sell them at higher prices.

## FORMER PRESIDENT DEAD

Santiago, Chile, Dec. 8.—Jerman Riesco, who was president of the Republic for the term which ended in 1906 died today.

## Agree On The Food Problem

London, Dec. 8.—An Amsterdam despatch to the Times says that the Berlin Vossische Zeitung announces that an agreement has been reached between Holland and Germany regarding the exportation of foodstuffs identical to that existing between Holland and England.

The Amsterdam correspondent of the Vossische Zeitung says that it is really, if not technically, an agreement between Germany and England whereby both may obtain food from Holland. The Times correspondent interprets this as meaning that Dutch ships carrying food to England will not be molested by German submarines or seized by destroyers.

London, Dec. 8.—According to the Chronicle, King George yesterday wrote to former Premier Asquith offering him an earldom and the Order of Garter. It is understood that Mr. Asquith asked permission to decline both honors.

## German Government Defends Deportation Of Belgian Laborers

Berlin, Dec. 8.—(Via London).—The German government issued a statement today in explanation and justification of the transfer of Belgian laborers to Germany. It says the measure is by no means a hardship for the laborers, but is a social necessity. Owing chiefly to the British embargo against Belgium's overseas trade, which before the war supported a large part of the industrial population, large numbers of Belgian workers are idle, the statement says, and conditions are growing worse. Many families, after spending all their savings, have become objects of public charity. This state of things is not due, as asserted in Belgium, to German requisitions of raw material, it is explained, for these requisitions occurred as a rule only where factories were unable to continue

operations.

Of 1,200,000 employees engaged in Belgian industries before the war, 505,000, including 155,000 women, are now wholly without work, and 150,000, including 45,000 women, are partly without work, making a total of 655,000 persons dependent on public aid. In addition to these, there are 293,000 wives and 612,000 children of men without work, so that 1,560,000 persons, or one-fifth of the total Belgian population, require assistance.

These masses of idle people, the statement says, are degenerating, and drunkenness and social depravity are resulting.

Before compulsory transport, however, every idle person is offered the opportunity voluntarily to accept profitable work on contract, and compulsion is resorted to only where the laborer stubbornly refuses.

Workmen coming to Germany are placed on the same footing as Germans and are earning higher wages than they ever received in Belgium. Steps have been taken to send part of their earnings to their families in Belgium.

## 90,000 KILLED ON RAILROADS

Baltimore, Md., Dec. 8.—More than 90,000 persons were killed and 100,000 injured during the last 20 years while trespassing on railroads, says Marcus A. Dow, general safety agent of the New York Central Lines. Investigations have shown, he said, that most of the victims were of the wage earning class, living near the places where the accidents occurred.

## Seek To Settle Irish Question

London, Dec. 8.—The Manchester Guardian says that the report that Premier Lloyd George will attempt an immediate solution of the Irish question by means of an imperial conference is not unlikely.

## PRESIDENT TO SPEAK

Washington, D. C., Dec. 8.—President Wilson will be a speaker tonight before the conference on social insurance in session here. Secretary Redfield will preside, and others scheduled as speakers are: Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor and George Pope, president of the National Association of Manufacturers. The conference today discussed old age and mothers' pensions.

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## NEW NOTE MAY BE SENT TO GERMANY

Washington, D. C., Dec. 8.—A new note to Germany on the general submarine situation appears to be among the possibilities which may come out of the latest activities of the undersea boats.

If decided upon, such a note would be for the purpose of clearing up what appears to be differences of interpretation in Washington and Berlin as to what Germany's pledges in the Sussex case covered, especially as to armed ships.

Secretary Lansing said today no final course of action had been agreed upon by President Wilson and him.

Although the state department has been going on the principle of deciding each case separately on its merits, it was said today that the number of cases had reached such proportions that some general action would be justified, although it was made clear that nothing had been determined upon.

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## Balfour To Be In New Cabinet

London, Dec. 8.—At a meeting of Liberals today it was stated that A. J. Balfour would be foreign secretary in the new cabinet and that Lord Robert Cecil would remain parliamentary under secretary for foreign affairs. The reform club today adopted a resolution expressing confidence in Mr. Asquith, and also the determination of the organization to support the new government in whatever steps it may take to prosecute the war vigorously.

## GOVERNORS TO MEET

Madison, Wis., Dec. 8.—Governors of the various commonwealths of the United States will meet in conference at Washington, D. C., next week.

High cost of living will be one of the principal topics of discussion. There also will be discussion of the enforcement of prohibitory laws in those states which have them. Ohio and Virginia have and are included in the list of those who will attend.

## Postmasters Are Indicted

Columbus, O., Dec. 8.—Postmasters at Corning, Poston and Eagleport were indicted by the federal grand jury on charges of embezzling government funds. The postmasters indicted were: Sol Fischer, Corning, embezzling \$225.28; George L. Grim, Poston, embezzling \$150; Bert A. Clifton, Eagleport, embezzling \$200.

Everett Knapp, who recently underwent an operation for appendicitis, was declared out of danger Friday.

## Dry Legislation To Front

Washington, Dec. 8.—Prohibition legislation was forced into a point of vantage today when the senate, on motion of Senator Shepard, of Texas, began consideration of the bill to prevent the manufacture and sale of liquor in the national capital.

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## Billy Batt In Times Weather Map



Just in passin' I'd like to remark that I've been notion' that pesteriferous chemical taste in th' water off and on here lately. If there's anything I'm "dead sot agin" it's that same "chemical taste." Blamed if I can see how folks are gonna do their Christmas shoppin' early when it's only a couple o' weeks till Christmas. Here's for tomorrow:

Ohio—Rain in south and rain or snow in north portion tonight; much colder; Saturday partly cloudy and colder; probably snow flurries near Lake Erie.

Kentucky—Rain or snow and much colder tonight. Saturday fair. Colder in central and east portion.

West Virginia—Rain tonight. Saturday fair except rain or snow in the mountains. Colder.

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## TONIGHT'S PARAMOUNT FEATURE

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## Vivian Martin

In A Most Bewitching Photoplay  
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## 'Her Father's Son'

A story of that golden period of American history, the Old South before the war.

TOMORROW

## WILLIAM RUSSELL

In a Five Act Romantic Drama

## "THE LOVE HERMIT"

## Furey Completes Card

Of local interest, the Cincinnati Enquirer Thursday said.

Manager Barney Furey, of the Portsmouth (Ohio) Athletic Club writes the sporting editors of the Enquirer that he has completed his card for the next show of the club on Wednesday, December 13.

The main event will be between Dave

Embry, of Cincinnati, and Matty Cluff, of Columbus, Ohio. They will box 10 rounds at 135 pounds. The semi-final will be eight rounds between Joe Berger, of Newport, Ky., and Eddie Jenkins, of Portsmouth, Ohio. The preliminary will also be an eight-round affair. Bill Walker and Joe Murphy will be the contestants. Manager Furey will referee all bouts. Furey is making his headquarters at the Senate, 418 Chillicothe street. He expects to be in Cincinnati next Monday to make final arrangements for the bouts.

**Was a Witness**  
Police Chief Tom Mayne, of Irouton, spent Friday here having been sub-poenned as a witness before the special grand jury.

**BELL-ANS**  
Absolutely Removes  
Indigestion. One package  
proves it. 25c at all druggists.

### Children's Health Day

All school teachers of the city assembled at the high school auditorium at 3:45 Friday afternoon to listen to a talk made by Miss Stewart, of the State Board of Health, Columbus. She delivered a talk on "Anti Tuberculosis Prevention." A representative of the Bureau of Community Service organization was also on hand to explain the workings of the organization. It was "Children's Health Day" in the public schools today.

### Were Overruled

The motion and demurrer in the case of the Norfolk and Western railroad against Louis Azarch, suit to replevin 20 hides, were overruled in common pleas court Friday by Judge Thomas and exceptions were noted for the defense. Will J. Meyer represents the N. & W. and Theo. K. Funk the defendant.

### Bet Kids Were Happy.

Pupils of the seventh grade taught by Miss Ella Kiefer at the Second street school were dismissed at 2:30 Friday afternoon when an elbow in the stove pipe gave way and allowed the room to fill with smoke.

Chicago, Dec. 8.—Federal operatives are trailing Jack Johnson, the negro pugilist, in the east, Charles F. Clyde, United States district attorney, said today. Clyde is confident that Johnson, who jumped his bond and fled to Europe after being convicted in Chicago on white slave charges, has returned to this country.

## RHEUMATISM

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## SCOTT'S EMULSION

creates. Its rich oil-food enlivens the whole system and strengthens the organs to throw off the injurious acids. Many doctors themselves take Scott's Emulsion and you must stand firm against substitutes.

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## DANDRUFF MAKES HAIR FALL OUT

25 cent bottle of "Danderine" keeps hair thick, strong, beautiful.

Girls! Try this! Doubles beauty of your hair in few moments.



Within ten minutes after an application of Danderine you can not find a single trace of dandruff or falling hair and your scalp will not itch, but what will please you most will be after a few weeks' use, when you see new hair fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair—growing all over the scalp.

A little Danderine immediately doubles the beauty of your hair. No difference how dull, faded, brittle and scraggy, just moisten a cloth with Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. The effect is amazing—your hair will be light, fluffy and wavy, and have an appearance of abundance, an incomparable lustre, softness and luxuriance.

Get a 25 cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store or toilet counter, and prove that your hair is as pretty and soft as any—that it has been neglected or injured by careless treatment—that's all—you surely can have beautiful hair and lots of it if you will just try a little Danderine.



# Christmas Presents

Let us suggest the following for your Christmas presents, they are useful and will be appreciated.

Overcoats From \$10 to \$25	Wool Jackets From \$3 to \$5	Men's Handkerchiefs From 5c to 25c
Suits From \$10 to \$25	Men's Hats From \$2 to \$4	Neckwear 50c to \$1.00
Raincoats From \$5 to \$15	Shirts from 50c to \$2	Mufflers From \$1 to \$1.50
Trousers From \$2 to \$5	Silk Shirts From \$1.50 to \$5.00	Hosiery Sets From 50c to \$2.00
Sweaters From \$2.50 to \$6.00	Underwear From 50c to \$3	Suspenders 35c to \$1.00
	Men's Hose From 15c to 50c	Gloves 50c to \$5.00

**John Heer**  
845 Gallia Street



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### No Increase In Price

Our selection of ladies' wrist watches is quite remarkable, there being over fifty models to choose from. They are priced at \$10.00, \$12.50, \$15.00, \$18.00 and \$25.00 in gold filled, and \$32.00, \$35.00, \$45.00 and \$50.00 in solid gold.

### No Increase In Price

**Albert Zoellner**

Jeweler

Third and Chillicothe Streets

## Lecture Tonight

Members of the Men's Bible class and Sunday school of the First Presbyterian church tonight will hear a lecture delivered by Henry T. Bannan on one of his hunting trips through Montana. It will be illustrated. They will enjoy a turkey dinner at 6:30 and the address of Mr. Bannan will begin at 7:30. Women of the congregation are invited to hear Mr. Bannan's talk.

## CROSSED WIRES

BLAMED FOR FIRE

Crossed electric wires are thought to have been responsible for a blaze in the west display window of the Central Hardware company's store at Second and Court streets Friday afternoon. The smoke from which caused a near-panic among tenants of the upper floors of the Damarin building.

Edward William, son of Jos. William, salesman of the hardware store, was working in the east corner window of the store when he noticed the flames and at once gave the alarm. He rushed into the street and turned in an alarm from Box No. 23, to which Engine Co. No. 1 responded. A bucket brigade, headed by his father, however, had practically extinguished the flames, although in removing some of the razors and aluminum ware he had his eyebrows singed and was burned about the forehead.

The Hazlebeck company will insure you, 819 Gallia. adv.



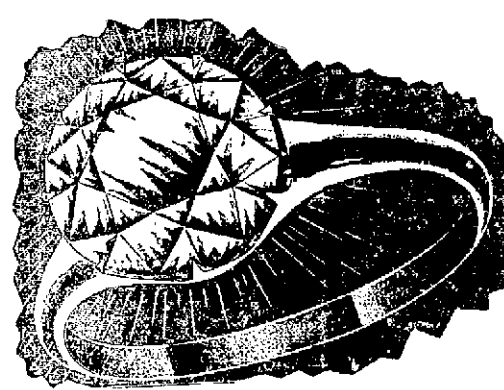
Mary J. Schaefer, sanitary sewer tap at No. 1333 Fifth street.

### Monthly Collections

The monthly collections of Clerk John Fritz, of the public service department, for water tap permits, etc., issued during November amounted to \$293.22.

Visited His Mother.  
Theodore Collins of Ripley, O.,

traveling salesman for the Marion Rubber Shoe Co., spent Thursday with his mother, Mrs. G. Collins at her home in the Damarin building. Mr. Collins was on his way to Columbus.



## Buy a DIAMOND

Buy A Diamond Now—Buy A Diamond Now of  
OTTO ZOELLNER & BRO.

This fall will probably be your last chance to buy a really fine gem of quality at prices that have been below the market price for the past half year. Our select stock of loose and mounted diamonds are cheap compared with prevailing market prices today. From reliable sources we have information that after January, 1917, diamonds will advance to prices never before known. Our advice to you is buy a diamond of us now, and you'll have an asset that will pay you a good interest in the future. This applies to diamonds of quality and we've got the quality at the right price. We show some splendid values in fine stones at \$125.00, \$150.00, \$200.00 and up that are unusual. A large variety of stones from \$25.00 to \$100.00. Come in and let us show them.

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## TY COBB'S WONDERFUL RECORD AS AMERICAN LEAGUE BATSMAN

Year.	G.	AB.	R.	H.	2B.	3B.	HR.	SB.	PO.
1905	44	150	19	36	6	0	1	2	24
1906	97	350	43	112	13	7	1	24	229
1907	150	495	97	212	29	15	5	40	231
1908	150	581	88	188	35	20	4	39	231
1909	156	573	116	216	31	10	9	76	255
1910	140	509	104	195	36	13	8	65	255
1911	140	591	147	218	47	21	8	82	260
1912	140	553	119	227	30	25	7	61	260
1913	122	428	70	167	18	16	1	22	260
1914	97	335	69	127	22	11	2	25	260
1915	140	543	144	208	31	13	3	47	257
1916	145	572	112	201	31	10	5	58	257
Totals	1510	5790	1132	2133	332	162	57	630	2971

## BARNEY'S CASH GROCERY

1410 Eighteenth St.

Home Phone 1815

Magnolia Flour	.....\$1.18	3 pks. White Ribbon Raisins	.....25c
Highlife Flour	.....\$1.18	Valen Seeded Raisins for	.....25c
Crema De La Flour	.....\$1.18	Valen Seedless Raisins	.....15c
Navy Beans, per lb.	.....14c	Valca Prunes for	.....15c
Lima Beans, per lb.	.....10c	2 lbs. bulk Prunes, large ones	.....25c
Cranberry Beans, 2 lbs for	.....25c	Valca Apricots, per pkg.	.....15c
Pinto Beans, 2 lbs for	.....25c	Valca Peaches, per pkg.	.....15c
Canned Lima Beans, per can	.....10c	American Beauty Oats	.....9c
Albee Baked Beans, per can	.....10c	Red Bird Oats 3 for	.....25c
Sheriff Baked Beans, 2 for	.....25c	corn Flakes, 3 for	.....25c
Sheriff Red Kidney Beans 2 for	.....25c	Ralston's Wheat Food	.....10c
Prize Green Beans, 3 cans for	.....27c	Matches, 3 boxes	.....10c
Prize Sweetash, 3 cans for	.....29c	Salt, 3 bags for	.....25c
Good Corn, 3 cans for	.....29c	Honeysuckle Pop Corn	.....5c
Superior Corn, 2 cans for	.....25c	New Dates, per package	.....10c
Prize Corn, 2 cans for	.....29c	New Figs, per package	.....10c
Prize Peas, per can	.....10c	Octagon Cleanser, 6 for	.....25c
Prize Tomatoes, No. 2 1/2 for	.....10c	Keen Kleener, 6 for	.....25c
Prize Tomatoes, No. 2 1/2 for	.....13c	Star, Naphtha and Octagon	.....45c
Pumpkin, 3 cans for	.....25c	Powder, 10 boxes for	.....45c
Pumpkin, 3 cans for	.....25c	10 Octagon Soap for	.....45c
Beets, 3 cans for	.....25c	10 Ivory Soap for	.....45c
Red Bird Salmon, 2 for	.....25c	10 Star Soap for	.....45c
Argo Salmon, 2 for	.....35c	Fresh Meats, Oysters, Lettuce	.....
Sheriff Prepared Spaghetti	.....10c	Celery, Cranberries, Parsnips, Turnips	.....
2 cans Army's Table Peaches	.....25c	Kale, Green Onions, Fresh	.....
Large jar Lippencott's Olives	.....23c	Milk, Creamery Butter, Columbus	.....
Small jar Plain Olives for	.....10c	Oleomargarine, Pickles, Ham	.....
Large jar Lippencott's Apple	.....15c	made Krait, Bananas, Oranges	.....
Butter	.....15c	Grape Fruit, Lemons, Apples and	.....
		Now Nuts; in fact everything in	.....
		Sheriff brand Preserves, jar 10c	.....

Open Till 9 O'clock Friday Night

These prices are good for the entire week and we deliver to all parts of city.

**Ben Hurs to Nominate**  
Portsmouth court, Tribe of Ben Hurs, will hold nomination of officers at its regular weekly meeting tonight.

**Grand Jury to Report**  
The grand jury is expected to complete its investigations of the thirty or more cases submitted Saturday morning and report.



## Sciotoville And Wheelersburg

### SCIOTOVILLE

The Ladies' Union of the Christian church held a splendid meeting Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. T. Q. Shump, of East Main street, with sixty guests present. After the devotional and business session an interesting program was given as follows:

Song—Count Your Blessings.  
Address—Rev. H. J. Dudley.  
Piano Solo—Raymond Bush.  
Vocal Duet—Mrs. Winifred Bennett and son Richard.  
Piano Solo—Miss Loretta Brock.  
Comic German Song—Ed Gillan.  
Vocal Solo—Mrs. Winifred Bennett.

After the program the evening was spent in games, music and contests and in an apple race. Mrs. Gilbert Mann won the prize, an apple dish. Mrs. Shump was assisted in serving dainty refreshments by Mesdames Hilman Boyd, Charles Brock, Charles Buckley, Ed Gillan, Ida Rowley and Joseph Rider.

The Ladies' Union is doing a splendid work and fifty dollars has been raised for the church building fund within six weeks.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. church will give a Christmas sale Saturday afternoon, beginning at 2 o'clock, in the H. C. Summers & Son's piano store, on Jackson street. There will be fancy articles, aprons, dust caps, laundry bags, home-made pies, bread, cake and candies on sale, also an orange tree which will contain several dainty articles.

Mrs. Zora Todd and daughter, Miss Bess, of Broadway street, were visitors to Portsmouth Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Horace Belmont, of Market street, returned home Thursday after spending a few days in Columbus.

Miss Kathleen Mammel and Miss Lovella Stout were visitors to Portsmouth Thursday.

John Simonton, of Broadway street, is spending a few days with relatives and friends at Ironton.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. church met Thursday afternoon at the parsonage on Main street to finish some sewing for the sale which will be given Saturday.

Thomas Harrison, of Broadway street, was called to Portsmouth, Thursday, on account of the illness of his father, H. Harrison.

### WHEELERSBURG

The Jolly Six Kensington Club met Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. M. E. Mackey. The afternoon was spent in needlework and social chat, after which dainty refreshments were served. Those present were Mesdames R. F. Brightwell, George Koch, Fred Sheld, Norman Adams, M. F. Mackey and M. E. Mackey.

Mrs. August Swickert, who has been suffering with pneumonia for several days, is improving slowly.

George Evans, of Nivenna, was a business visitor to Portsmouth, Thursday.

James Semones, who is employed with the Whitaker-Glessner company, is ill at his home in Nivenna.

Mr. and Mrs. John Duis, of Main street, who has been ill for several weeks, are improving slowly.

### Boy Runs Away

The police have been asked to assist in locating Elmer Seely, aged 15 years, a son of Charles R. Seely, a carpenter at 2365 Eighth street. The boy ran away from home last Saturday night and has not been heard from since. He is said to have told some boy companions that he was going to Columbus.

### City Xmas Tree

Benton is to have a municipal Xmas tree this year, and it will be arranged under the direction of the Chamber of Commerce of that city.

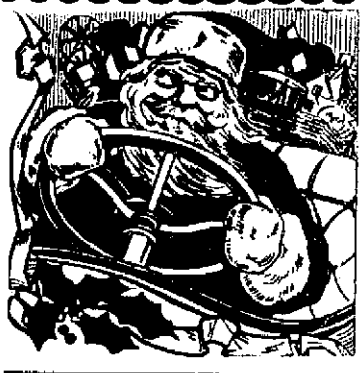
## YOUTH Is Care Free

The only way a young man can get up is to wake up and then work up. So long as he lets today take care of today and gives no heed to tomorrow, so long will he fail to rise. He must

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# CHRISTMAS BARGAIN BULLETIN NO. 1



## The Wrecker Of High Prices On Men and Boys Suits, Overcoats, Shoes and Furnishing Goods

Mr. Wage Earner we are going to show you just how great our BUYING POWER is and how much it can mean to you. SOME of these PRICES in these high price times will look like mistakes to you. YOU MAY THINK THE PRINTER HAS MADE AN ERROR. But if he has we will stand back of it. The articles offered in this bargain sale are less than we can buy them today. Another pleasant surprise you will find that our Buying Power is fully equalled by our Selling Courtesy and the Salvage guarantee goes with every purchase.

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#### HANDKERCHIEF BOOTH

Men's, women's and children's Handkerchiefs by the thousand, the most wonderful display ever shown at the lowest prices.

10c Ladies' Silk Embroidered Kerchief ..... 5c  
5c Ladies' Hemstitched Kerchief ..... 3c  
15c Ladies' Embroidered Silk Crepe ..... 9c  
35c Ladies' pure Linen Kerchief, plain and lace edged ..... 24c  
10c Men's Colored Bordered Kerchief ..... 5c  
10c Men's Japanese Kerchief with silk initial 5c  
Ladies' Colored Embroidered Kerchief, box of 6 50c  
Ladies' Silk Colored Embroidered Kerchief, box of 6 ..... 98c  
Men's Initial Kerchief box of 3 ..... 21c  
Ladies' Initial Kerchief in colored initial or plain, box of 3 ..... 24c  
Ladies' pure Linen Embroidered and Hemstitched, box of 6 ..... 98c  
Ladies' Silk Embroidered Kerchief, box of 3 ..... 48c  
Ladies' Colored Silk Embroidered Kerchief, box of 3 ..... 24c  
Women's Kerchief 3 in a large burnt wood box an exquisite gift, our price only ..... 59c  
75c Ladies' pure Silk Scarfs in beautiful colors ..... 48c  
\$2.00 Ladies' Ivory Toilet Sets, comb, brush and mirror ..... \$1.24  
50c Ladies' Silk Scarfs in pretty colors ..... 24c  
\$1.25 Girls' Skating Set, all colors ..... 98c  
\$1.50 Girls' Skating Set, beautiful colors ..... \$1.24  
These are not the only bargains we have in men's and women's Handkerchiefs but a few of the real ones.



### Men's \$5 Rath Robes \$2.98

Splendid robes made with big collar and silk corded trimmings, may be had in wonderful assortment of plaids, figured designs and Indian patterns, a big value at the price.

Men's \$10.00 All Wool and Silk finish Bath Robes, an assortment of the finest quality consisting of Bath Robes of the finest grade in finish and in workmanship \$8.35.

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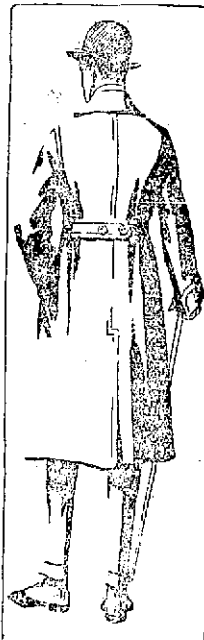
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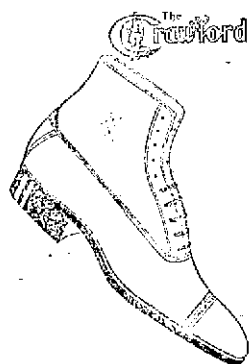
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## Big Bargains in Shoes and Slippers

At Portsmouth's Greatest Gift Shoe Store What is more sensible, more appreciated and more useful than footwear Xmas gifts? This big store is prepared as never before with large stocks of footwear, of every description for the entire family bought at the old market prices, which means that your dollar will buy twice as much here as elsewhere. If you buy your Xmas footwear here it means a big saving to you.



\$2.00 Men's Dress Shoes, Gun Metal or Vici Kid, Button or Blucher ..... \$1.98  
\$4.00 Men's Dress Shoes, latest styles in all leathers, every pair guaranteed ..... \$2.98  
\$3.00 Men's Dress Shoes the best of leather, all styles, in patent, tan or gun metal ..... \$2.48  
Men's real heavy solid leather Work Shoes at \$2.24, \$2.48, \$2.98, \$3.24

\$6.00 Crawford Dress Shoes ..... \$4.39  
\$6.00 Charles Eaton Dress Shoes ..... \$3.98  
\$4.00 Brown 5 star Dress Shoes ..... \$3.24  
Ladies' House Slippers at cut prices:

**69c, 89c, 98c, \$1.14**

Beautiful colors, fur and ribbon trimmed. Boys' and Girls' Shoes, the best qualities at the lowest prices, save the difference.

Men's House Slippers: **48c, 69c, 98c, \$1.19**

Children's Shoes and Slippers, cut prices for the best qualities, save the difference.

IF YOU NEVER BOUGHT AT THE SALVAGE TOMORROW IS A FINE DAY TO START. LEARN HOW MUCH WE CAN SAVE YOU ON YOUR FURNISHING GOODS WHEN THEY COME FROM THE WORKINGMAN STORE, THE BEST QUALITY AT THE LOWEST CUT PRICES.

### LADIES

We especially invite you To look at this wonderful showing of MEN'S FINE NECKWEAR



We truthfully can say you will not find such a selection and variety anywhere in this city. Men's \$1.00 high grade all silk 4-in-hand not regular 50c values but a high class assortment of distinctive ties, made with the stitched lock lining and silk slip band, of the best imported silks, all packed in beautiful Christmas boxes free, only

Men's 35c Pure Silk Ties, 4-in-hand or reversible styles, beautiful colors in pretty holiday boxes free, a big special for only ..... 23c  
Men's 50c Silk four-in-hand open end ties with the stitched lock lining, beautiful colors, our purchasing power again acts for you if you want a 50c tie we have it for you only ..... 39c  
Men's 10c Silk Bow Ties, pretty silks, only ..... 10c  
Men's 25c Shield Tick, of pure silk, only ..... 19c

### HOLIDAY COMBINATION SETS

Handsome and cleverly boxed, a gift that is as acceptable as it is sensible.

75c COMBINATION SET 48c  
Elegant assortment, a large open end 4-in-hand Tie and three embroidered Kerchiefs in fancy Xmas boxes only ..... 48c

\$2.00 TIE RACK 98c  
Gentlemen's Tie Rack consisting of one pair Silk Hose, Silk Kerchief and Silk 4-in-hand Tie with mirror, a real \$2.00 value only ..... 98c

\$1.00 FOUNTAIN PEN SET 69c  
Large shape open end Tie, a good fountain pen in a neat Xmas box only ..... 69c

\$1.50 HUMIDOR SET 98c  
Consisting of Men's Silk Hose, Silk Tie, Cigar Lighter and Cigar Mountpiece, all packed in fine cigar humidor for ..... 98c

35c COMBINATION SET 24c  
Silk 4-in-hand Tie and Comb in beautiful Xmas box ..... 24c

\$1.50 SPORT SET 98c  
Consisting of solid leather Belt, folding leather Pocket Book, Gold Cuff Buttons and Tie Holder and Garters in burnt wood box only ..... 98c

\$2.50 GENT'S SET 98c  
Beautiful Xmas box with large open Silk 4-in-hand Tie, Cigarette Case, Match Box in gold or silver ..... 98c

36c COMBINATION SET 24c  
Pretty Xmas set with Silk 4-in-hand Tie with key ring or cigarette holder only ..... 24c

\$1.50 Men's Silk Mufflers ..... \$1.14  
Beautiful Xmas boxes

75c Men's Silk Mufflers ..... 59c  
Packed in Xmas boxes.

75c Paris Garter Sets ..... 48c  
50c Silk Web Paris Garters and 15c Silk Arm Bands, handsome Xmas box 48c.

\$1.00 Men's Silk Suspenders ..... 79c  
In Xmas boxes.

Visit Our Big Jewelry Department

And save the difference, the best quality at the cut prices.

\$2.00 Men's Gold Chain and knife ..... \$1.14  
\$1.00 Men's Gold Cuff Links ..... 48c

25c Pearl Cuff Links ..... 10c  
25c Men's Tie Holders ..... 10c  
50c Men's Gold Cuff Links ..... 29c  
50c Men's Tie Pins ..... 19c  
All boxes free in Xmas boxes.

\$1.00 Baby Sweaters ..... 49c  
\$1.00 Men's Four-in-Hand Ties ..... 44c  
\$1.00 Men's Dress Shirts ..... 69c

\$1.50 Men's Wool Shirts, pockets, Military collars ..... \$1.24  
Fancy Christmas Boxes free with all purchases.

\$1.00 Men's Ribbed Union Suits ..... 54c  
35c Boys' Waists ..... 23c  
Military Collars ..... 59c  
\$1.00 Men's Flannellette Shirts ..... 48c  
\$1.00 Men's and Boys' Hockey Caps ..... \$1.24  
\$1.50 Girls' Skating Sets ..... 24c  
75c Boys' Hockey Caps ..... 24c

19c to 98c  
\$1.25 Girls' Skating Sets ..... 98c  
\$1.50 Men's Ribbed Union Suits ..... 98c

48c to \$1.24  
\$2 Men's Wool Process Union Suits ..... \$1.24  
\$1.00 Women's Union Suits ..... 49c  
75c Boys' Union Suits ..... 49c

9c to 48c  
50c President Suspenders for ..... 39c  
75c Men's Work Shirts ..... 49c  
\$1.50 Men's Fleece Union Suits ..... 98c

Slippers to 48c  
Hosiery \$1.69

Shirts 48c to \$1.14

75c Men's Fleece Underwear ..... 42c  
25c Men's Wool Hose ..... 19c  
75c Men's Dress Shirts ..... 48c

15c Men's Dress Hose ..... 9c  
75c Men's Ribbed Underwear ..... 42c  
\$1.50 Men's Wool Shirts, pockets, Military collars ..... \$1.24

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Flaxseed, Wild Cherry, Menthol, Spikenard, Licorice, Eucalyptol, Guaiacol, Bromide and Chloride of Ammonia, Glycerine, Honey and Sugar Syrup.

## Big Combination Special

9 Bars Star Soap

19c

50c Ingram's Cough Syrup

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58c



Nine Big Five Cent Bars Proctor and Gamble Star Soap for only 19c and the wrappers are on them. A full size 50c bottle of Ingram's Combination Cough Syrup containing a box of tablets for the cold. It has been tried and tested and has been proven satisfactory the country over. So many people have a cough and a cold at the same time. They take the Cough Mixture but do not cure the cold. Even so with a cold; they dose up on cold remedy and do not cure the cough. This wonderful remedy reaches both at the same time. The Cut-Rate at this time wants to do something for you in the crisis of the high cost of living. We would willingly sell you the soap alone if it would not be for our competitors buying it up to resell it at the price you have always paid for it, 5c per bar. Read the formulas of each in the upper right and left hand corners of this great money saving ad, Saturday's Special. No phone orders taken. Come in and see, even though you do not buy. You are always welcome at the Cut Rate.

## Balloons FREE!

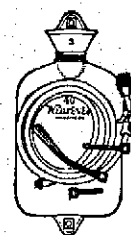
Here you are children! It will hold forty pounds of gas and it is a little dandy at that. All you have to do to get it is to buy something at the Cut Rate, 10c or over, and one of these balloons is yours for the asking. Any child accompanied by a parent, they making a purchase, the little one can have a balloon FREE. It is Saturday only. Now children get busy. See if there is not something that you can get for mamma, papa or one of the neighbors; something that you can get at the Cut-Rate.



25c size 19c



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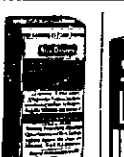
50c size 40c



60c size 40c



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## The Movies



Marguerita Fischer in "The Pearl of Paradise"

This is the First of Six Master Pictures in Which This Beautiful Star Will Appear, Columbia Tonight

Marguerita Fischer in "The Pearl of Paradise" is the big attraction at the Columbia tonight; this is the first of six master picture productions in which this beautiful star will appear. It is a drama with the story laid on a

desert island, with a strong Robert Louis Stevenson flavor. The outdoor scenes were made around Catalina Island, which is famous for extraordinarily beautiful scenery, and tonight you will see some of the most wonderful

scenery ever put upon a screen.

As Yulia, the Spanish-American beauty, who has grown up like a wild flower in the tropic isle to which her father, Manuel Gomez took his bride some years ago, Miss Fischer has most excellent opportunity and her wonderful type of Spanish beauty just suits the story and surroundings.

"Honor Thy Name", a Five Act Triangle, featuring Frank Keenan, Charles Ray and Louise Glum, Columbia Tomorrow.

Not in many rooms has beauty been so extensively in evidence in a Triangle-line play as it is in "Honor Thy Name," the virile drama of paternal devotion and service by J. G. Hawks, in which Thomas H. Ince presents Frank Keenan and Charles Ray as co-stars, at the Columbia tomorrow. Three of the prettiest actresses of the line forces are cast in this production, each in a part of importance.

Presenting among the trio is Louise Glum, famed as a "vamp" woman, who shatters lives and bank accounts. Miss Glum is seen as Viola Bretagne, a café patron, known as "The Moth," famous for extraordinarily beautiful scenery, and tonight you will see some of the most wonderful

Next in importance to the trend of the story is Blanche White, a beautiful ingenue, who makes her bow to Triangle patrons in this subject. Miss White has the delicate role of Rosalie, a southern girl of social position.

The third beauty who figures in the plot is Dorcas Matthews, who has been seen in several Triangle-line productions. Miss Matthews is cast as Rosita, a fascinating opera singer of thirty decades ago—a part around which the whole plot revolves.

Vivian Martin in "Her Father's Son", Paramount at Lyric Tonight.

If you were a girl, an only child and your father died penniless and a wealthy uncle thought you were a boy and wanted to adopt you, and full of mischief you disguised yourself as a boy and accepted, what do you think would happen?

There is a charming story of love, romance and pathos woven around just that idea. It has been produced by the Oliver Morosoff Photoplay Co., with sweet winsome Vivian as "Her Father's Son."

Exhibit Tonight

"The Heli-Breed's Hatred," the title of the eleventh episode



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of "The Yellow Menace". In order to save his sister and the woman he loves, Manning gives himself up to Ali Singh, apparently resigned to his awful fate.

But Hong Kong Harry, swayed by desire for revenge, born of the fierce torture inflicted on him by Ali Singh, again turns traitor and leads the police to the Arch-Enemy's den. A terrible fight ensues, pictured with amazing realism, the police, Manning, Margaret and May are well-nigh overpowered, but finally succeed in saving themselves and escape the clutches of Ali Singh. But so powerful is the Menace himself that again he outwits his enemies and baffles all efforts to capture him.

A side-splitting comedy, and a Ford Animated Weekly complete the program.

## At The Strand

Today Manager Welch offers his patrons a strong four-act program for only five cents. Your favorite, Mary Fuller, is the star in this tense drama. The characters are introduced at a house party brought to an unpleasant close with the loss of valuable jewels. The mystery revolves around the theft which was committed by the girl who is portrayed by Mary Fuller. She has been forced to assist her father, a professional crook. Assisting Mary Fuller are Harry Spangler, Paul Panzer, and Clara Meyers. This contains a number of charming scenes photographed on a country estate.

"Room Rent and Romance" is one of those ever laughable Vice

## Big Program at the Temple Theatre Tonight

Five big acts, showing three classy productions, will be the program at the Temple theatre tonight. Manager Harold Potts had engaged a program that is guaranteed from his Hopkins in a comic, entitled, "Sis, the Detective," in the two reel Bison drama, entitled "By Man's Law," a sex problem that is unraveled in a most graphic manner. In addition the Temple will show a two reel Essanay production, "A Man in the Wilderness," one of those thrillers that keeps one on the anxious seat from start to finish. The program at the Temple tonight is exceptionally clever, and the admission will be only five cents to everybody. Come and see the crowds and hear the Warlitzer Orchestra.

## Red Feather Production at the Arcadia Theatre Tonight

You can't beat Red Feather films, no matter how hard you try or where you go. Everybody admits they are in a class by themselves—real realism and real sensationism. For tonight Manager J. E. Potts has a thriller—a Red Feather feature, entitled, "Barrier of Society". This is a five-act drama, full of action and life and one that will teach you as great a lesson as a two hour's sermon. Come and see if tonight's program at the Arcadia theatre isn't a headliner from beginning to end. The beauty part of it all is that it is only five cents. It is a big city show, all right, but the price is only one-half a dime at the popular Arcadia.

## Hunted Rabbits

Councilman Pete Roush spent Wednesday hunting rabbits on Long Run and he killed more than his share of bunnies.

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## Holy Day Observed

Services at St. Mary's church Friday morning, in observance of the Feast of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin, were well attended. Devotional services and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament will be held this evening at church tonight.

## Roads Close Sunday

Gallia pike between Sciotoville and Wheelersburg will be closed to traffic Sunday all day and evening, according to John J. Harper, county engineer.

During this time the final touches will be placed on the road and Monday morning the entire stretch of 2.95 miles of paving will be opened for travel.

Thursday evening the pike between Lindsay Hollow and

Wheelersburg was opened. There yet remains about 900 feet of paving and about two hundred feet of concrete base to be completed.

## GRANDPA DIDN'T NEED CASCARETS FOR THE BOWELS

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**MASONIC NOTICE**

Aurora Lodge No. 48, F. & A. M., will confer the Master Mason's degree Saturday evening, December 9th, commencing promptly at 6:30 o'clock.

**WANTED**

WANTED:—Girl for light housework; family of three. Inquire Staebler's Jewelry Store. 8-31

WANTED:—Good solicitor. The Portsmouth College of Business. 8-31

WANTED:—Woman to wash and iron at their home. 739 6th. Phone 295-X. 8-31

WANTED:—Experienced girl clerk or auto truck driver, responsible young married man. Call Home phone 1336-X. 8-21

WANTED:—More tie makers, good timber, houses ready. Phone 42-R Sciotoville. 8-21

WANTED:—Woman who knows how to do housework and cook. 1130 9th. 8-31

WANTED:—A No. 1 broom maker that can sew on Baltimore stitcher. Bauer Broom Co. Phone 989-X. 8-21

WANTED:—Girl for general housework, one who can go home at night. 1648 5th. 7-31

WANTED:—Porter. Sugar Bowl, Gallia and Findlay. 6-31

WANTED:—Government wants men-women. \$100.00 month. Schedule Portsmouth examination dates free. Franklin Institute, Dept. 333-W, Rochester, N. Y. Nov 18-53-5W-5B

WANTED:—Experienced girl for general housework. Good wages to right party. Phone 862-X or call 1641 Grant street. 8-31

NOTICE:—For package delivery call Alf Bustetter, Phone 1833-L. 4-31

WANTED:—Position as driver of auto truck or light delivery car responsible young married man. Call Home phone 1521-X. 6-31

WANTED:—Cook and other female help. Whitaker-Glossner Restaurant. 7-21

WANTED:—Second hand furniture and stoves. 1024 9th. Phone 1180-Y. 8-31

NOTICE:—Cash paid for furniture, stoves, carpets. Phone 232-4. 627 2nd. 21-31

NOTICE:—For city delivery call Everett Artis, Phone 1586-X. 2-31

NOTICE:—For prompt package delivery phone 404-Y. Dick Boswick, 12 Waller. 15-31

WANTED:—Boys with wheels. Western Union Telegraph Co. 2-31

**FOR SALE**

**FOR SALE:**—Iron bedstead, width 3ft. 4 in. Mattress and springs, all complete, \$5.00. Phone 597. 8-31

**FOR SALE:**—Gas range and baby buggy at 520 Fourth street. 8-31

**FOR SALE:**—Good horse, cheap. 1025 Offshore. 8-21

**FOR SALE:**—Fresh ocean fish. 505 Gay. Phone 1442-L. 8-31

**FOR SALE:**—5 room cottage, Grandview avenue, bath, pantry, cellar, lot 32x120, \$3800. For sale or trade, 3 lots in Morton addition, Fullerton, Ky., \$1500 each. 8-21

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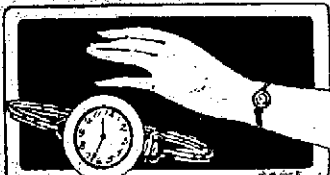
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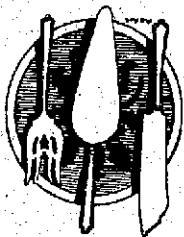


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Something Different  
 Westminster and Whittington Chimes from \$15.00 to \$100

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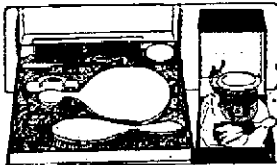
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Solid Gold Set Rings.....\$2.50  
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 We carry a complete line of all kinds of set, signet and emblem rings. Very attractive designs and exclusive patterns.

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Baskets.....75c  
 A new line of Vases and Comports.

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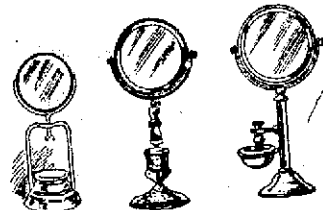


In Silver and French Ivory, something entirely new. Price.....\$3.50  
 All engraving free.

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Solid Gold.....\$2.25  
 A large line in Platinum, Gold, White Gold and Gold Filled.

## SHAVING SETS



Something entirely new. Just received.  
 Special price \$4.00.  
 Quadruple Plate Silver, best money can buy.

## American

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Don't get the idea that the daring little ambulance driver lives in a constant atmosphere "of shell-swept roads dashing through fires of barrage", for he doesn't thank heaven. I don't believe they ever put a barrage fire on a road. An ambulance had to travel. They have put roads under heavy shelling for hours and days at periods, but no ambulance or anything else can go through a barrage. That's cold fact.

At times the corps has been through periods of night and day work, all night and day, but it hasn't lasted more than 2 to 3 weeks at a time, and the work has been dangerous to a degree. It has been a miracle that it has come through with no casualties, but mostly it goes on its way doing its daily task and making no fuss over it, but the French government and the army division to which it is attached are more than appreciative of everything it does, as the corps citations prove and they have repeatedly expressed their confidence in it by putting it in every big attack for well over a year since the war was started, and it has "made good."

"They have asked for another 'section', (i. e. 30 Ambulances and 60 Volunteers) under the American Red Cross and to be commanded by our 'Chief' Richard Norton and that is another proof that the Harjes section (going since the beginning of the war) and Norton's section, the same have filled every requirement and proved that they could handle their jobs right.

The work is interesting and has a good element of chance, but it is not filled with nights and days of daring deeds, but good solid helpful effort where it does count.

And of course our close association with all the business of war has a never ending thrill, for we are a little part of the great game.

Yours always,  
 PHILIP.

EMNETT MISSING.  
CLAIM OF POLICE.

James Emmett, a West Side young farmer, who made a gun play when mistaking a baker named Nagel for former Mayor Adam Frick, has skipped out, the police say.

Emmett had been bound over to the grand jury by Mayor Kaps

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With us there is no fumbling with the English language—you know the backs—they cost you 25c, we pay back 50c in they fail. Nothing could be stated in a more positive way and you owe it to your health to give them a trial at once. They are a natural enemy to Constipation, Indigestion, Neuralgia of the stomach, Biliousness, Headache, Sallow complexion and Coated Tongue. Most all the common ailments peculiar to women can be traced to these sources and these tablets will relieve many delicate conditions. They will do more good than all the medicine you ever used; if not, go back and get the money. Next time, ask your druggist for the same medicine with the guarantee. For sale by all druggists.

8,000 Rumanians is announced by the war office in the official statement.

Paris, Dec. 8.—The Germans last night were driven out of the trenches on the eastern side of Hill 304, on the Verdun front it is announced officially.

## In Sad Plight

William H. Defreest was the name given by an aged man, claiming to be a civil war veteran, who dropped into police headquarters Friday noon and asked to be sent to the infirmary for a few days. He said he had just arrived from Aberdeen, O.

Mrs. John Dine, of Second street, has been very ill for the past week.

G. D. Riekey, O. D., formerly with L. M. Prince, Cincinnati, O., in full charge. Will give your eyes relief. A pair of glasses makes a grand Xmas gift. Give them orders for a pair.

We open charge accounts with those desiring it.

# Crescent Jewelry Co.

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## WAR

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part do not expect a stand to be made by the Rumanians before the line of the Buzen river is reached. This line virtually closes the neck of the province of Moldavia running eastward from the Hungarian frontier to Galata, on the lower Danube, near the Bes-sarabia border. It is regarded as a strong defensive line and is easily susceptible of reinforcement from Russian sources.

On the Franco-Belgian front

the only operation of note has been in the Verdun region, where the Germans yesterday claimed the capture of the summit Hill 304, west of the Meuse. Today Paris announces that the Germans have been driven from "a section of the trenches on the eastern slopes of Hill 304", which they had occupied.

In Macedonia the Bulgarians are violently contesting the efforts of the Serbians. Paris reports heavy counter attacks on the Serbian positions in the Stravina region, east of the Cerina, on Wednesday night, which are declared to have been sharply repulsed.

## RAID TRIESTE

Rome, Via Paris, Dec. 8.—Two Italian seaplanes raided Trieste on Thursday, according to an official statement issued by the admiralty. The statement says that the raiders dropped five bombs on naval sheds and returned unharmed, although subjected to a heavy fire from the Austrian anti-aircraft guns.

## CONGRATULATED BY KAISER

Amsterdam, Via London, Dec. 8.—An official announcement from Berlin makes public the following congratulatory message sent by the German emperor to the king of Bavaria respecting the fall of Bucharest:

"The beaten Rumanian army has abandoned its fortified capital. With God's assistance we have gone a great step forward. Your brave Bavarians did excellently in the mountain fighting and on the plains again gained us the impishable glory. The heroic death of a brave prince and typical soldier of your lineage has been a source of inspiration to us."

The reference in the emperor's telegram to the death of a prince, presumably refers to Prince Henry of Bavaria, nephew of King Louis, a major in the Bavarian guards, reported killed in battle November 9.

## BERLIN OFFICIAL STATEMENT

Berlin, Dec. 8.—By wireless to (Saville)—The Rumanians made an attack yesterday on the Derna front, on the northern part of the Russo-Galician line but failed to gain ground it is officially an-

nounced. Rumanian troops retreating from the Predeal and Altschanz Passes were cut off by "Tentative" forces, and most of them have been captured. In western Rumania the pursuit is being continued by the Austro-German troops, which yesterday took more than 10,000 prisoners.

Attacks made by Russian troops yesterday in the Iudava region, in the Carpathians, and in the Trutas Valley, on the North-east Rumanian front, were repulsed with heavy losses, the war office announces.

An attack was made by French troops on the Verdun front, in an effort to recapture trenches taken by the Germans on Hill 304, but resulted in failure.

## FIGHTING HEAVY

Paris, Dec. 8.—Heavy fighting is in progress on the Macedonian front. Three successive counter attacks on the Serbians have been made by German and Bulgarian troops in the region of Stravina. The war office announces that these attacks were repulsed.

## TAKE 8,000 RUMANIANS

Berlin, Dec. 8.—(By wireless to Saville)—The surrender of

## YOU WANT PINK CHEEKS

Every woman wants pink cheeks. They mean not only beauty but health. They put the color in your cheeks, not on them. The glow of health is the red of healthy blood showing through translucent skin. It is impossible without rich, red blood.

When a girl's color fades and she looks debilitated, is short of breath, when her heart palpitates after every slight exertion and she has pains in various parts of the body she needs Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. They are the remedy best suited to restore the blood, bring brightness to the eyes and put color in the cheeks and lips.

The only other treatment needed costs nothing. It is this. Give the patient plenty of sunlight, moderate exercise every day, not enough to cause fatigue, and use care in the diet because the food served is often not the best for the condition.

"Two looks, 'Building Up the Blood' and 'What to Eat and How to Eat' give just the information that every mother of a growing girl needs. They are free. Write for them today to the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., 233 Broadway, N. Y. Your own druggist sells Dr. Williams' Pink Pills or you can send fifty cents for a full-size package.

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"IT'S A  
CHERRY IN A  
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A luscious, red ripe Maraschino Cherry floating in its own juice, imprisoned in a wall of the most delicious chocolate you ever ate. New York and Chicago confectioners sell this fine quality at 20c and \$1.00 per pound.

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Better have us set aside a few boxes for you.

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This is the first of six master pictures in which this star will appear.

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## "HONOR THY NAME"

A story of the South chuck full of intense interest with such stars as

FRANK KEENAN

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BLANCHE WHITE

Two vampires in this picture. One gets jilted and the other gets killed.

under \$300 bond. Recently he left that amount of money on a table at home with a note to his parents advising them of his intention to leave, he reimbursing them for the money they had put up for his security.

## Street Opened

Kendall avenue recently paved has been opened from Gallia street to the railroad.

## Board To Meet

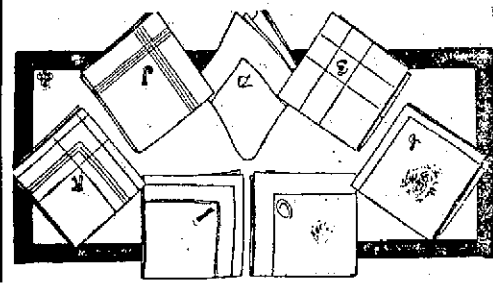
The school board will meet in semi-monthly session tonight. The ques-

tion of erecting a new building at Second and Chillicothe streets may come up.

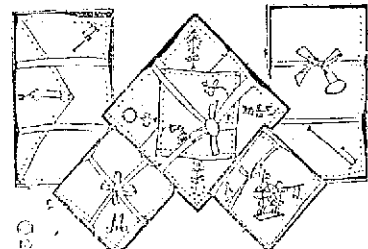
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Our display of handkerchiefs will help you to quickly decide on the kind you want to give. Hundreds of different kinds to select from. Get in on the ground floor before the choice bargains are gone.

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Men's and women's hemstitched handkerchiefs.  
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Handkerchiefs with embroidered design in corner.  
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Handkerchiefs with embroidered design in corner in white and colors.  
Silk Handkerchiefs.



Men's Handkerchiefs from  
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Men's Japanette Handkerchiefs  
Men's Pure Linen Handkerchiefs.  
Men's Colored Border Handkerchiefs.  
Handkerchiefs with colored edge and border.  
Handkerchiefs in all kinds of fancy and plain boxes.  
Cambrie Handkerchiefs.

This stock was selected months ago with great care, always having in mind that quality must come before price. As we made a saving, we are giving you the benefit of it by lowering prices on this stock. The above are not the only bargains we have in handkerchiefs but just a few of the rare ones.

Only 13 shopping days before Xmas.

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# WHAT TO GIVE FOR CHRISTMAS!

Let us reason together for just a moment. In these days of "high cost of living" don't you think it is better to give something useful, lasting and beneficial to the entire family, than something that may be flashy, but which will soon vanish and together with it the spirit that prompted its giving? If you give FURNITURE you can rest assured that the recipient will have cause to cherish it for many, many years and for 365 days in the year. Your friend or relative will rejoice to receive something from this store, where the prudent buyer will find everything rightly priced and of full value.

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Here is the only phonograph with all these exclusive advantages. Stands on floor. Weighs only 11 pounds. Dustproof compartment for records. Uses any standard needle. Plays all standard disc records. Sound waves do not pass thru metal. Thirty-one inches high in playing position. Cabinet body of acoustic metal, with exquisite mahogany finish.

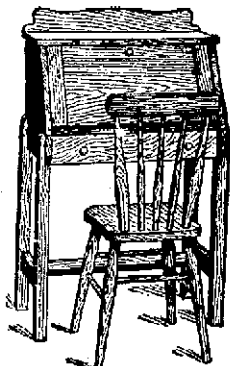
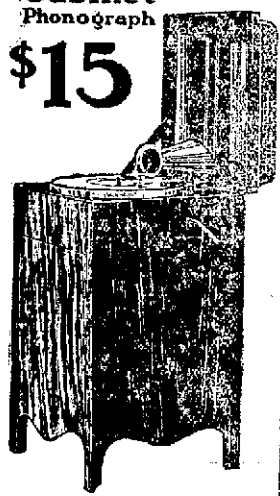
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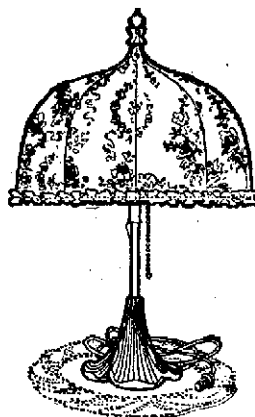
### Cabinet Phonograph

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### DESK AND CHAIR

for the little folks makes 'em feel mighty proud; gives 'em a business air. We have an elegant line.



Silk or Cretonne Shades Portable Lamps complete from \$3.95 and up. Both gas and electric Portable Lamps from \$2.50 and up.



With each table sold during the holidays we will give absolutely free a Heatproof Table Pad. This extraordinary offer will hold good until Christmas.

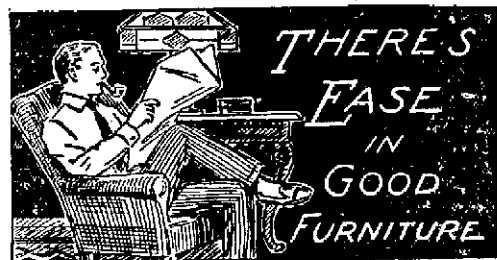
## Our Toy Department

You will find the finest assortment of doll carts, all sizes, velocipedes, Irish mail, automobiles, tables, chairs, rockers, boys' bicycles. We carry the famous rubber tire three wheel skip for boys, something new in Portsmouth. We invite you to visit this department before making your purchase.

We know we can please you and the kiddies.

## Select From This List For a Useful Gift

Davenports and Davenettes, large assortment of Leather Rockers in brown and black, Morris Chairs, Cedar Chests, Library Tables, Book Cases, Ladies' Writing Desks and Tables in all finishes, Portable Lamps, Pictures, largest assortment in the city. Large selection of Silk Shade Parlor Lamps in all colors. Dining Tables and Chairs and other articles too numerous to mention.



SELECT YOUR GIFT NOW AND WE WILL LAY IT AWAY FOR YOU AND DELIVER IT WHEN YOU LIKE

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## COUNTY NEWS

The Haverhill Farmers' Institute came to a close Thursday afternoon. "Lee Stock" was the subject on which J. F. Gordon gave an instructive talk. "Which is the More Profitable, Alfalfa or Timothy?" was the subject of the round-table discussion. J. J. Folsom, Mrs. Florence Wilson, state worker, gave a very interesting demonstration showing how to select the best colored articles and how to properly care for fruit and vegetables.



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Lard Solid Oysters ..... 40c  
Canned Green Onions ..... 5c  
Shad Mackerel ..... 10c and 20c  
Fresh Rabbits ..... 20c  
Dressed Chickens ..... 22c and 23c  
Fresh Eggs ..... 40c and 45c  
Fish Butter ..... 23c to 47c  
Fat Apples, Cabbage, Turnips, Potatoes, Dill Pickles, Sauerkraut, Pies, Feet, Horse Radish, Country Sausage, Bacon, Flour, Beans, Celery, Cranberries, Lettuce, Fruits and Vegetables.  
Phone us your grocery orders.  
J. J. BRUSHART  
The Cash Grocer

standpoint and the members voted to hold another in 1917 at the same place, Haverhill M. E. church.

The M. E. Farmers' Institute came to a close Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Ida A. Durbin, of Knox county, who spent 21 years on the farm and ten years in institute work, made a splendid talk on "How I Tried to Solve the Hired Help Problem." Monica Stevens led the discussion. "Water in the Home—Why Not?" was the interesting subject handled by J. A. Hummon, of Putnam county. The discussion was led by C. M. Blackburn, "Community Service," the problem being taken up in the larger cities, was the subject of a talk made by O. D. Wellbaum. W. A. McGeorge led the discussion on the subject.

The old officers, President W. A. McGeorge, Vice-President M. L. Bonner and Secretary A. L. Bonner were re-elected. Another institute will be held in 1917.

The Empire Grange Farmers' Institute opened at the Pine Creek Baptist church, near Powellville, Friday morning. Rev. Greene Willis has charge of the devotional exercises. "Rotation of Crops" was the subject of J. F. Gordon's talk. Mr. Gordon told of how he had made a success of farming by careful rotation of crops. Dan Oakes, of Powellville, led the discussion on the subject. Wesley Sheld, of Dogwood Ridge, gave an interesting address on "Which is the More Profitable, a Large or Small Farm?" Mrs. Florence Willison, state worker, gave a talk on "Woman in the Home." Mrs. Jettie Willis led the discussion.



felt slippers at one to two dollars a pair gives greater satisfaction through pleasing style and beautiful colors, combined with real comfort, than a like amount spent for any other kind of footwear.

BLUM'S felt footwear is easy from the start—provides foot rest and comfort, which pleasantly effects the entire body, altho' stylish and very attractive.



Children's styles and sizes at 50c to \$1.00  
Women's styles and sizes at \$1.00 to \$1.50  
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Be sure to get the style and size you want now as later on it may be gone.

Marting's

Treasurer—J. H. Appel.  
Tyler—William Glaze.  
After the business session, the Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. church served a banquet.

The Seaton Valley Grange, of Lucasville, will hold their regular meeting Saturday evening in the Grand Army hall. The program follows: "What Can the Grange Do to Help the Public School?"—Prof. R. L. Meeks.  
Reading—Miss Etta McCarry.  
Question Box—R. P. Violette.

## NEW WINTER COATS

We are showing many new styles of coats made in all the newest material, Velours, Plush, Broadcloth, Wool Velour, Cheviot and many fancy mixtures. These coats are moderately priced at \$10.00, \$15.00, \$20.00, \$25.00, \$35.00, \$40.00, \$50.00

We are showing them in all the new colors, Green, Brown, Burgandy, Plum, Taupe, Black, fancy mixtures. Buy your coat while the assortment is good and your size is here.

## All Jacket Suits Reduced

We have one hundred stylish suits, divided into three lots.

Suits that sold up to \$25.00 for .. \$14.95

Suits that sold up to \$37.50 for .. \$27.95

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## KEEP THE CHILDREN WARM

If you are planning the comfort of the children during the coming cold weather you can choose most happily and with economy from our entirely new line of cold weather resisting children's clothes.

The assortment displayed is worthy of your special consideration.  
Children's Knit Trousers at ..... 25c, 30c, 35c, 50c, 60c  
Infants' Wool Knit Caps at ..... 25c, 35c, 50c, 60c  
Infants' Silk Caps at 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c, \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.50  
Children's Black Caps at ..... 60c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.50  
Children's Knit Suits and Trousers Sets at ..... 50c to \$2.00  
Children's Sweaters at ..... \$1.50 to \$3.75  
Infants' Sweaters at ..... 50c to \$2.00  
White Leggings at ..... 25c to \$1.25  
Three Piece Sets of Sweater, Leggings and Cap \$3.00 and \$4.50

## PRETTY NEW PATTERNS IN WOOL CHALLIS

For children's dresses, women's waists or dresses, negligees, etc. A splendid assortment is here to choose from.  
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Be sure to visit our third floor. It's full of gift suggestions for children and grown-ups.

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## SILK HOSIERY AS AN XMAS GIFT

Two things about the gift hosiery that you must be sure to know—style and quality. You'll find them here at reasonable prices too.  
Black Silk Hose at, per pair ..... \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00  
Fancies and Colors at, per pair ..... \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$2.00  
Silk Boot, Lisle Top, at, per pair ..... 25c, 39c, 50c and 52c

## GOOD GLOVES ARE ALWAYS ACCEPTABLE

And this store has a complete assortment of not alone all sizes, but colors and qualities and styles, too. Be sure you don't wait too long.

Prices from \$1.25 to \$2.25 in women's.  
Prices from 50c to \$1.25 in children's.

# G. A. R. Memorial Service Will Be Held Next Sunday

As it is our custom in the Grand Army of the Republic to hold annually memorial services for our departed comrades, who have died within the last year, Bailey Post has selected the second Sunday of this month, December 10th, at two o'clock p. m., for holding such services. Our place of meeting will be at our headquarters, corner of Gallia and Findlay streets, entrance on Findlay street, in rear of the Sugar Bowl.

All comrades, their families, the relatives and friends of our deceased comrades, Bailey Relief Corps, Sons of Veterans and their auxiliary, Spanish War Veterans, and their Auxiliary and the public in general are cordially invited to meet with us on this occasion.

The Rev. Chas. E. Chandler, of Bigelow M. E. church, will deliver the memorial address.

Within the last year the following comrades have left us and gone to join the silent majority on the other shore, namely:

George H. Staten, Dec. 24, 1915.  
Frank Louis Judd, Dec. 31, 1915.  
Capt. John J. Gist, Jan. 16, 1916.

W. H. H. Montgomery, Jan. 22, 1916.  
Joseph Horning, Feb. 5, 1916.  
Augustus Cook, March 2, 1916.

J. W. Ransom, March 7, 1916.  
George M. D. Shively, April 30, 1916.  
Henry DeLott, July 1, 1916.  
Isaac Spears, Oct. 10, 1916.

Isaac M. McKinnin, Nov. 11, 1916.  
Charles W. White, Nov. 30, 1916.

COMMITTEE.  
A telegram received by Mr. and Mrs. John C. Montavon today announced the arrival of a baby boy at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Max Misch in Cleveland at half after nine o'clock Thursday morning. Mrs. Misch was formerly Miss Genovieve Montavon. They now have a son and a daughter in the Misch home.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Sturm, who have been visiting their sisters, the Misses Margaret and Fannie O'Connor, have gone to their home in Columbus.

The Y. W. C. A. lunch menu for Saturday will be: Pork ham, Lima beans, cold slaw, bread and butter, Brown Betty, tea or coffee, fifteen cents. Many people, both men and

women, are taking advantage of the excellent lunches served at the Y. W. C. A. Men are welcome.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Bigelow Methodist church will meet next Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. S. Walker, on Fifth street, who will be assisted by Mesdames Jennie Kays, John Brandel, J. M. Graham, J. W. Dillon. Members are urged to bring their Christmas offering.

Mrs. S. D. Ruggles, Mrs. Albert Marling and Mrs. Chester Lloyd will entertain with a tea next Wednesday evening at Mrs. Marling's home, as an ante-nuptial favor to their sister, Miss Hazel Drew and fiancé, Mr. Robert Miller Adair, of Columbus, whose wedding takes place Thursday evening, December fourteenth, at the Second Presbyterian church. The guests will include the relatives and out-of-town guests.

The C. E. S. L. club met at the home of Misses Pearl and Helen Nagel Thursday evening, where the following officers were elected:

President—Pearl Nagel.  
Vice-President—Naomi Call.  
Secretary—Mary Bennett.  
Treasurer—Lena Bowser.  
The evening was spent in crocheting and needlework and piano music was rendered by Misses Nell Doughty and Myrtle Partlow. Those present were: Nell Doughty, Naomi Call, Mary Bennett, Myrtle Partlow, Mary Lucy, Violet Cunningham, Clara and Edith Fields, Pauline Welch, Pearl and Helen Nagel, Lena Bowser. The next meeting will be a New Year's party at the home of Miss Mary Bennett, on Offshore Hill.

Miss Lorraine Smith was hostess at last evening's meeting of the C. N. C. Club. Needlework and music were included in the diversions, after which refreshments were served. Those present were Misses Alma Smith, Sue Sprouse, Solma Gims, Ada Lutz, Edna Marshall, Lillian Jackson. The next meeting will be a passing party at the home of Miss Alma Smith.

Mrs. Basil Aylestock, of Memphis, Tenn., is coming home to spend Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. Aylestock, of Center street.

Little Miss Louise Mitchell, sweet little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Mitchell, was five years old today and her mother invited several little

playmates to gather at her home this afternoon, when various childish games were indulged in from three until five o'clock. Pink and white refreshments were served at a beautiful pink and white adorned table, the central adornment being pink and white flowers mingling with pink shaded candles. The favors were Santa Claus boxes filled with candy.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Rardin received a letter from Rev. George Davis yesterday telling of their safe arrival at their home in Pekin, China, and were about settled in house-keeping.

Miss Gladys Edwards, of Chicago, is coming to spend the holidays with her sister, Mrs. Sam Varner.

Mrs. Henry Fairtrace has returned from Canton, where she visited at the home of Mrs. E. E. Cline.

Mrs. L. C. Turley and Miss Nell Turley will come home this evening after a short visit in Cincinnati.

Mrs. Samuel Harshaw was hostess at yesterday afternoon's meeting of the Jewish Kaffee Klatch. At cards Mrs. Felix Haas won the first favor, an embroidered handkerchief. Mrs. Max Haas also won a pretty handkerchief as the second favor. A dainty lunch was served at the card tables. Mrs. Max Haas will be hostess at the next meeting in two weeks. An evening party will be held near the holidays.

Mrs. Guy V. Thompson was hostess at this afternoon's meeting of the Young Ladies' Sewing Club at her home on Baird avenue. Art needlework preceded dainty refreshments. Mrs. Hargen Bush will be hostess at the next meeting.

The All Saints' Social Aid Society will meet next Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. M. S. Pixley, on Ninth street.

Mrs. Robert Bryan entertained with a party at the Second Street Kindergarten this morning in celebration of the fifth birthday anniversary of her attractive little daughter, Ruth, who will be five years old Sunday. After playing the little games Mrs. Bryan, assisted by the popular teacher, Miss Bertha Gilliam, served delicious pink and white ice cream, cake and candy. The beautiful birthday cake was a gift from Miss Margaret Miller, who presents little Miss Ruth with her cake every year. Besides the little pupils at the school, the guests were little Misses Helen Gilbert and Mary Elizabeth Hall.

The marriage of Rev. Geo. R. Bolcher and Miss Mary Alice Jameson was solemnized at the home of the bride's parent, Mrs. Elizabeth Jameson, Wednesday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock, Rev. J. E. Dilbert officiating. The wedding guests were Rev. and Mrs. H. Hancey and two daughters, Margaret and Ethel, Miss Wagner, Miss Anna Marquette, Mrs. Rachel Mershon, Mr. Everett, Maricle, Mrs. Laura Fuleher, Mr. Basil W. Dawson, Mrs. Gilkerson, Mrs. Jamie Harrison, Miss Edna Jameson, Mrs. Kitchin, Miss Chloey Shaw, Master John Floyd, Master Charles Jameson, Miss Florence Jameson, Mrs. Lala Lemons. After the ceremony refreshments were served and the guests were entertained by music given by Rev. H. Hancey and Miss Marquette. The happy pair will leave for Wollaston, O. Friday, where they will enter into church work for the present.

Arthur Lee Hicks, of Garrison, Ky., and Miss Arizona Minix, of Firebrick, and who has relatives here, were granted a marriage license in Yanceyburg this week. The bridegroom is 22 and the bride 18.

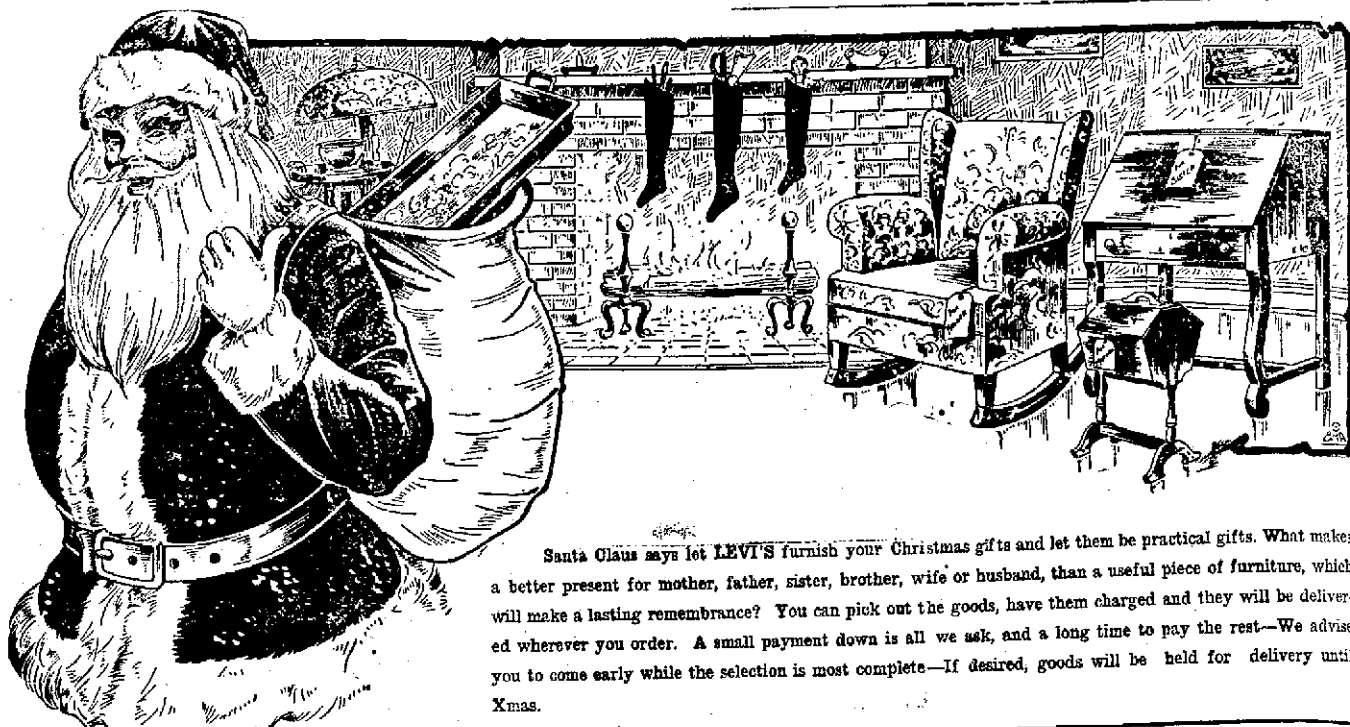
Mrs. Robert Goldenup, of Fronton, is visiting Portsmouth relatives and friends.



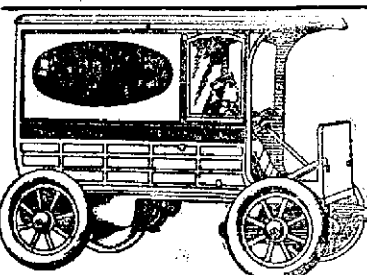
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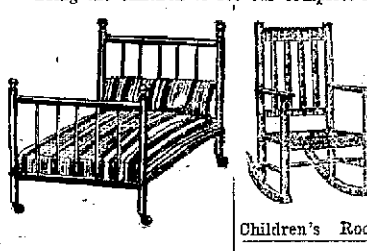
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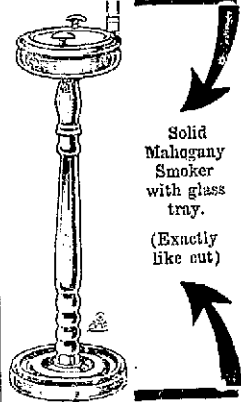
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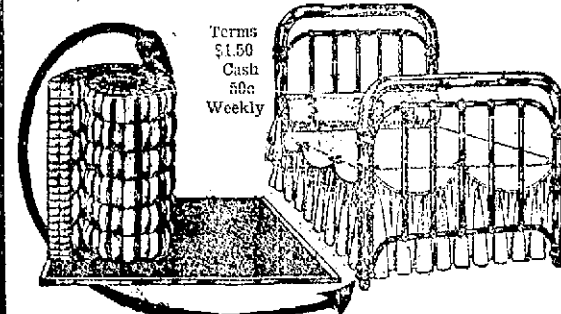
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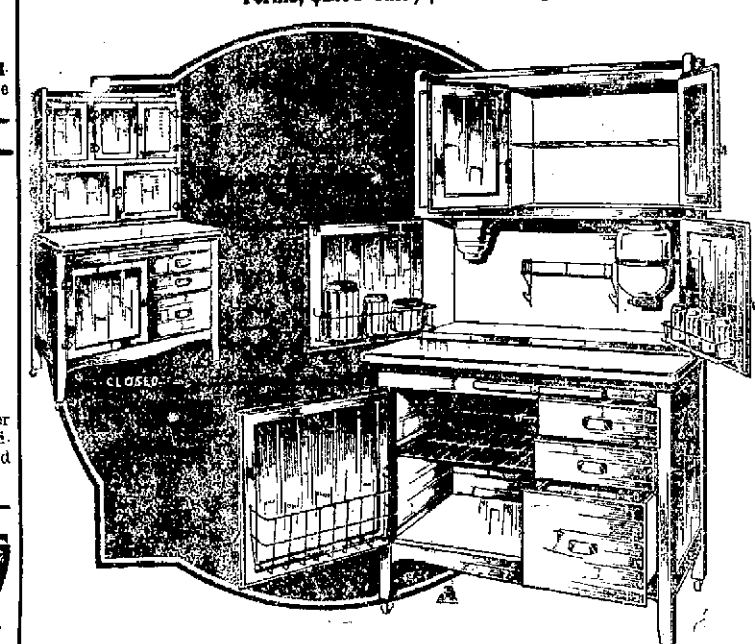


The outfit consists of two-inch Post Iron Bed, white or Vernis Martin finish, all iron Spring and soft top Mattress.

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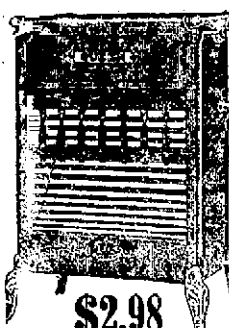
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# Money Raising Men Full Of Dynamite

## Must Get \$10,000

Chuck full of "condensed dynamite," the team captain recently appointed by the campaign committee of the Bureau of Community Service are fairly spoiling for the big encounter which is to be held next week for three days, beginning Wednesday morning at an appointed hour. During these three days the various teams will strive to their utmost ability to raise the ten thousand dollars which will be required to make the

## PRETTY WOMAN TELLS SECRETS

Reveals How She Won Sparkling Eyes and Rosy Cheeks.

"TANLAC DID IT" SHE SAYS

Mrs. Lewis C. Starr, of Cleveland, Confides to Admiring Friends How She Got Healthy Color Back—"How Well You Are Looking", They Exclaim: Cheerful and Happy, Too.

If you suffer from nervousness so badly that you can't sleep at night; if your complexion is pale and muddy, your eyes have dark rings under them and life hardly seems worth living—

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If you want rosy cheeks, clear, sparkling eyes, restful sleep at night, bounding red blood and perfect health—  
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"I was all run down. I suffered from dizzy spells and sometimes a kind of falling sensation."

Could Get No Rest.

"I would toss and roll all night and seemed to get no rest from my fitful sleep. My appetite was indifferent; no matter how attractive a meal I would sit down to, my stomach seemed to turn against it immediately. I was so nervous that, even the slamming of a door would upset me and make me tremble."

"I tried many remedies and kinds of treatment until one day a woman friend persuaded me to try this Tanlac."

Relief Came at Once.

"Within a week I began to feel better. The dizzy spells left me and I slept better. I found that in the morning I would awake feeling cheerful and happy, and with a hearty appetite for breakfast. Color came back to my cheeks and my friends began to speak of how well I looked."

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## TERMINALS

A cottage prayer meeting will be conducted this evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Joyce, of Gallia street. Rev. O. L. King will speak at this service. All members and the public are invited.

Mrs. Ira Salesberry is threatened with typhoid fever at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Wamsley of Gallia street.

N. & W. extra 1392 west bound in charge of Conductor J. L. Lynch and Engineer F. A. McLeod derailed one car and broke a flat car in two near Vera at 2 p. m. Friday. The Portsmouth wreck cars were called and the track cleared in twenty minutes.

Floyd Jamison, N. & W. section laborer of the Portsmouth yards, had his right foot badly mashed Wednesday at 1:35 p. m., while engaged in transferring rail from one car to another when a rail turned over, catching his foot. He continued on duty until 4:30 and went to his home in Portsmouth where his foot was dressed.

Frederick Smith, truckman of the N. & W. freight station at Kenova, had three toes on his right foot badly mashed Thursday morning while handling a truck loaded with a car coupler, which slipped and fell on his foot. A company doctor was called and dressed his foot and he was later

removed to his home at Ceredo. N. & W. extra 768 in charge of Conductor T. G. Crigger and Engineer P. Cunningham derailed two cars, the caboose and tank of the engine on the passing siding at Chatteroy, W. Va., Thursday at 1:45 p. m. The track was cleared at 2:45 without the use of the wreck cars.

Young boys set fire to the dry grass and weeds in the vacant lot adjoining the Edward Wamsley home on Gallia street near Beech street early Thursday evening. Neighbors were attracted to the fire and had the boys stamp it out before the Wamsley fence caught fire.

## Alsbaugh

A large selection of Rugs at special prices. adv 615

Vanceburg Visitor  
Max Block, a leading merchant of Vanceburg, was here on business Thursday.

## Want 'Home' Site For Park

At the regular meeting of the New Century club, held at the Masonic Club rooms, Masonic Temple, Thursday afternoon, a resolution was unanimously passed protesting against the sale of the Children's Home property on the hill-top. A copy of this resolution was forwarded to the members of the board of county commissioners.

Already seven women's clubs have

Back at Work  
Willis Calhoun, Jr., who a month ago had his left arm fractured in a fall from a scaffold while painting a house on Third street, has recovered sufficiently to return to his work.

Has Job at Wolff's  
Joe Bonzo, former policeman, will Saturday take a position as floor walker in the Wolff Clothing company's store on Chillicothe street.

## Will Probated

The last will of the late Thomas H. Platt, Union township, was filed for probate Thursday. All of the property is bequeathed to two sons, Louis M. and August. The two sons are to act as executors without bond.

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### \$4 Plaid Blankets \$2.59

Full bed size, heavy "Woolmap" finish, bright pink, gray and blue plaids. These blankets will sell quickly at \$2.59.

### Men's 39c Neck Ties 29c

Silk four-in-hand ties, packed in holly boxes. Special \$29c.

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A large selection, men's soft finish figured Madras and oxford, neat stripes each in holly box, buy now for Xmas presents.

## Our Ready-to-Wear Department Will Be Busy Saturday

### \$30.00 Plush Coats \$19.95

Our extreme values have made this department busy, here is another proof, superior quality SILK PLUSH COATS, large deep convertible collars, novelty cuffs, full sweep style, guaranteed linings, an attractive and serviceable warm garment.

### \$35.00 Plush Coats \$24.95

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### \$9.95 For Women's \$15.00 Coats

Elegant quality materials of Zibeline, Wool Plush, Kersays, Plaids and Novelty Mixtures, new Fall colors and models, specially priced.

### \$18.00 New Fall Coats \$12.95

### \$20.00 Novelty Coats \$14.95

Our underselling policy is from this date in this offer, Wool Velour, Wool Plush, 21 Lines Cord Beaver trimmed, all new shades, Burgandy, Green, Navy and Brown, the season's latest creations.

### Girls' \$7.50 Coats \$4.95

A good selection of Novelty Cloth, Chineline and Zibeline, some heavier fur trimmed collars and cuffs, full and semi-belted models, sizes to 14 years. Special \$4.95.

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Any \$12.50 Suit	\$ 6.25
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Newest Fall styles, excellent quality Silk Poplin, Novelty Collar, Cuffs and Vestee effect, in all wanted colors.

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Charming new figured Silk Kimonos, lace and chiffon collar and cuffs, shirred at waist line, pink, old Rose and blue, cut full. Special \$4.98.

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Exquisite creations in Georgette Crepe, Crepe de Chine, Silk and Net, dainty Rosette Lace and Ribbon trimming, new shades of Malice, Green, Flesh and Light Blue. Specially priced at

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## BATH ROBES

\$2.50 Bath Robes	\$1.39	\$4.00 "Beacon" Blanket Robes	\$2.98	\$6.00 "Beacon" Blanket Robes	\$3.98
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## MILLINERY

Every Trimmed Hat in the house has been reduced for quick selling, hats of every conceivable shape, tastefully trimmed. You will marvel at these bargains.

Values up to \$3.00	98c	Values up to \$7.00	\$2.98
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## Infants' \$3.50 Coats For \$1.98

Dainty White Corduroy Coats, fur trimmed collars and cuffs, warm quilted linings, belted and large button, sizes to 4 years.

## Save on BOYS' CLOTHING

Excellent material Novelty Cloth, full lined, back belted, loose fitting style, sizes to 9 years.

\$3.00 Boys' Overcoats \$1.98	Boys' \$5.50 Chineline Overcoats, blue or grey, military collar, full belted style, warm, serviceable lining, sizes to 9 years. Special \$3.98
Boys' \$4.00 Suits \$2.98	Norfolk, Bulgarian or Plush Back style in novelty materials, light and dark, sizes to 17 years, splendid values. \$2.98
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50c box of 3 Embroidered Kerchiefs	39c
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## Saturday Specials

Men's \$1.00 Leather Gloves	79c	Women's \$1.00 Fleece Union Suits	79c
Men's \$1.00 Dress Shirts	60c	Women's \$1.00 Knit Skirts	79c
Men's \$1.50 Flannel Pajamas	98c	Women's \$1.25 Outing Gowns	79c
Men's \$1.25 Fleece Union Suits	79c	30c Silk Boot Hose	29c
Men's 65c Silk Neck Ties	44c	Children's 19c Ribbed Hose	14c
Men's 30c Silk Socks	24c	Women's 75c Outing Petticoats	49c
Boys' 60c Fleece Union Suits	39c	\$3.00 Full Size Blankets	\$1.98

## \$10.00 Novelty Waists \$6.95

Excellent quality blue flannel and serges, sailor collar and novelty cuffs for women and misses.

## Sweaters Underpriced

Right in the height of the season we are offering women's and misses' sweaters at sensational price cutting, all colors and sizes.

\$3.00 All Wool Sweaters	\$1.98
\$1.00 All Wool Sweaters	\$2.49
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You who are looking for Union Made Clothing with the Union Label will find 'em in our store at less price than you pay for sweat shop clothing. Suits and Overcoats, worth \$20.00, we sell at \$15.00. Your money back if not satisfactory. Every suit and overcoat guaranteed strictly All Wool. Come in and convince yourself.

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about 125 acres of ground near Wheelersburg, have practically decided to open a new addition in their property, which was formerly known as the Reif farm.

## Jr. O. U. A. M. Elect

Plans were made at last night's meeting of the Jr. O. U. A. M. to hold a class initiation next Thursday evening Dec. 14 when fifty candidates will be taken in. The degree team will give a social in the Junior hall Fifth and Chillicothe streets, on Tuesday Dec. 19. The applications of four candidates were received and the following five were elected by ballot: Charles Lawhorn, J. W. Adams, Clay Adams, Floyd Adams and William Zornes. J. R. Locher and G. W. Zornes obligated. The election of officers resulted as follows: Junior past councillor, C. M. Martin; councillor, M. B. Cooper; vice councillor, Carl Cunningham; recording secretary, Robert Holbrook; assistant recording secretary, Montrose Eligor; financial secretary, C. R. Smith; treasurer, C. B. Groninger; conductor, William Hall; warden, C. Toth; inside sentinel, William Hamm; outside sentinel, Samuel McFarren; chaplain, P. W. Quicke; representatives to state council, Irvin Bowers, C. B. Groninger; alternates, Alva Cowan, C. M. Martin.

## Eagles Elect

The local Aerio of Eagles at a meeting Thursday night elected the following officers: Paul Bowler, president; Steven Copen, vice

### Claim Votes Were Bought

Chillicothe, Ohio, Dec. 8.—Rumors are rife that a federal investigation into the election is to be held here. It is said in one precinct in the city about 100 negroes were paid \$2 each the night before the election, with the understanding that they were to have more afterward if the precinct made the gain expected. The ruling price here is said to have been \$5.

### Hoboes Arrested.

John Smith, "Kid" Brown and Frank and James Morris were names given by a quartette of hoboes rounded up by N. & W. detectives Thursday night. The men were picked up at the "Black Diamond" brick plant just after they alighted from an N. & W. freight train. All had just arrived from the South. They were fined \$5 each in police court Friday but the fines were suspended on condition that they either go to work or leave the city.

### Aged Man Arrested.

Jos. H. "Sonnie" Wimbush, aged 78 years, who claimed to be a Yankton Sioux Indian and barber by trade, was found in a helpless condition at Ninth and Waller streets by Officer Dohbins, Friday noon. He was charged with drunkenness.

president; Ellsworth Frownt, chaplain, W. J. Baker, secretary; O. H. Lewis, treasurer and Otto Lauffer, Henry Roth and W. S. Hale, trustees.

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Wendell's Ambition Pills the great nerve tonic, can't be beat for that tired feeling, nervous troubles, poor blood, headaches, neuralgia, restlessness, trembling, nervous prostration, mental depression, loss of appetite and kidney or liver complaints.

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Fairly sparkling with good useful things.

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New winter coats for women, misses and children.

### WOMEN'S SUITS

Street Dresses and Party Dresses. House Dresses and Bunglow Aprons. Fancy White Embroidery Gowns.

### DRESS SKIRTS

Petticoats, Silk, Satine, Muslin, Outing and Knit, splendid assortment.

### WAISTS

Silk Waists in light shades and dark plaids, Crepe de Chine and Georgette. White Wash Waists 50c and up. Bath Robes. Kimonos and Dressing Gowns. Fur Muffs and Scarves for women and children.

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Outing Gowns 48c and up. Silk Envelope Chemises and Corset Covers. Sweaters, Silk and Wool. Sweater Sets for children. Scarf and Cap Sets. Toques, Hockey Caps, etc.

## APPROPRIATE GIFTS FOR MEN, WOMEN AND CHILDREN

Wool, Silk and Cotton Fabrics for dresses, waists, etc. Table Damask, Towels and Napkins. Fancy Squares and Scarfs.

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Handkerchiefs by the thousands of every description. Initial Handkerchiefs, fancy Embroidered Handkerchiefs. Handkerchiefs in fancy boxes. Plain Pure Linen Handkerchiefs.

## GLOVES

Kid Gloves, Knit Gloves, Silk Gloves. Women's Collars and Cuffs in Voile. Crepe, Silk and Cloth 25c to \$1.25. Umbrellas in all grades. Hosiery, Silk, Wool and Lisle. Fancy Holiday Ribbons. Boudoir Caps. Auto Caps and Veils. Silk, Leather and Beaded Purses.

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We have doubled our counter and aisle space, and are ready to serve properly the people of Portsmouth and vicinity with new, up-to-date holiday goods at our original prices. Visit Woolworth's store early. We have the best assortment, the largest stock and the biggest values in the city.

## SOME TIMELY BARGAINS

XMAS TREE ORNAMENTS  
3 for 5c; 2 for 5c; 5c each and 10c each  
While they last  
Special large Turkish Towels ..... 10c  
Face Cloths ..... 5c  
NEW SHEET MUSIC DEPARTMENT  
All popular hits ..... 10c

Xmas Seals, Tags, Gift Cards, Gift Boxes  
2 for 5 and ..... 5c  
Larger assortment of toys than ever at the same prices ..... 5c and 10c  
Fine China Cups and Saucers, Sugars and Creams, quantities limited ..... 10c

Men's, Ladies' and Children's Handkerchiefs  
2 for 5c; 5c and 10c each  
Novelties in Jewelry, Neckwear and Souvenirs now on display  
Toys, Games and Books at ..... 10c  
each ..... 10c  
Why pay more?

Exclusive sale of WOOLCO PRODUCTS. Everything for needlework.  
All widths in Ribbons. You can save money at our ribbon counter.  
XMAS CANDIES  
A. D. Mints, Salted Peanuts and full line of Chocolates.

Do your shopping early as this year some goods will soon sell out. We have them now.

F. W. WOOLWORTH CO.

314-316 CHILICOTHE STREET



# BUY A FORD FOR \$20.00

## Don't Buy Until You Have Investigated This

### Specifications Town Model

Young men's coat  
43 inches in length  
Self-collar, full skirt  
Skinner satin quarter lined  
Absolutely pure wool, heavy weight  
Sizes 36 to 50—\$20 each.

### Maximum Production-- Minimum Cost

Applying scientific manufacturing methods and confining themselves to but two models and one quality of fabric enables The Ford Clothing Company, of New York City, to produce

### The Greatest Overcoat Value

KNOWN TO THE CLOTHING WORLD  
GUARANTEED RAINPROOF—WINDPROOF—FAST COLOR

### Specifications Ford Model

Gentlemen's all purpose coat  
46 inches in length  
Convertible collar  
Skinner satin, quarter lined  
Absolutely pure wool, heavy weight  
Sizes 36 to 50—\$20 each.

DEMONSTRATION ANY  
DAY EXCEPT SUNDAY

## LEHMAN'S

SOLE DISTRIBUTORS IN  
PORTSMOUTH, OHIO

### NEW BOSTON

Miss Mary Smith's Sunday School class of the Christian church was delightfully entertained last evening at the home of Miss Gwendolyn O'Neal, of Gallia avenue. The evening was spent in needlework, games and music after which refreshments were served. Those present were Misses Luella Graam, Clara

ASK FOR and GET  
**HORLICK'S**  
THE ORIGINAL  
MALTED MILK  
Cheap substitutes cost YOU same price.

James, Thelma Dailey, Mary Smith, Vera Smith, Garnet Coffey, Roxie Richardson, Emma Stricklett, Geneva, Goldie and Gwendolyn O'Neal.  
Miss Vida Abbott of Adams county is visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Helter, of East Rhodes avenue.  
Howard, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Simpkins of Gallia avenue, is suffering with pneumonia.  
Harley Hurley of Rhodes avenue, is spending a few days with relatives at McDermott.  
Charles Stricklett of Rhodes avenue, who has been suffering

with quinsy for several days, is improving slowly.  
Joe Hladik's new two story house on Rhodes avenue is nearing completion under Contractor H. A. Bierley.

Roy DeWitt as taken a position in the barber shop of Edgar Davis in the John Emmert building.

Charles Stiles, Gallia street barber, is mourning the loss of a valuable coon dog that disappeared from his home several days ago.

J. H. Holley, grocer of Harrisonville avenue, who was dangerously ill with heart trouble several days ago, was reported better Friday. His son has been called home from Huntington, W. Va.

Four children in the Edward Morrison home on Rhodes ave-

nue are suffering with measles. Miram Hickman, steelworker, of Gallia street, is not worrying over his winter meat bill. He had two porkers killed Thursday that tipped the scales at 400 pounds.

Joe Fitch did the butchering. Three children in the Elza Brannan home on Rhodes avenue are ill with measles. Mr. Brannan is working in the timber belt in Michigan.

Ogle, nineteen months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Liles, is dangerously ill with pneumonia. Louis Klemme of Cincinnati, has returned to work at William Carter's cash grocery. Mr. Klemme was in partnership with Dan Johnson in the butcher business in the city.

Houses are in demand in the village. Squire M. T. Stewart has about completed his five cottages on Harrisonville avenue. One house is already occupied, the

poreh and gables not yet being completed. Mr. Stewart is also building a brick business block on Harrisonville avenue.

### Healthy Ways

bring  
Happy Days  
The way



### Royal Neighbors Elect

A rousing meeting was held by members of the Royal Neighbors Thursday evening. A lunch and social affair followed the election. The applications of Mrs. O. E. Warnock and Mrs. Frances Lodwick were favorable balloted upon. The election resulted as follows: Oranah, Mary Walker; Vice Oranah, Clara Hartshorn; Chancellor, Emma McElfresh; Recorder, Louisa Wentz; Receiver, Catharine Bush; Marshal, Lillian Wentz; Assistant Marshal, Mary Gempferline; Inner Sentinel, Eliza Davis; Outer Sentinel, Mary Little; Manager, Myrtle Ball; Manager, Maggie Colvin; Delegate to State Convention, Elizabeth Zucker; Alter-

### Alsbaugh

Will furnish your home for less money. adv 614

### Woman Is Better

Mrs. William Foley, who police found wandering on the streets in a dazed condition ten days ago, continues slowly improving at Hempstead hospital.



### JANUARY PRICES IN DECEMBER

We are very desirous to dispose of all stocks possible in order to carry very little over, if any, and to accomplish this we believe in allowing the reductions while the buying public can use it to better advantage, so why wait till the season is completely over?

### IF WE HAVE WHAT YOU WANT

(And no doubt that we do.)

You'll surely be astonished of how reasonably everything is priced throughout the entire store and we know that you'll appreciate our fairness with you right now before holidays when your dollar must do more work than at any time of the year.

A new shipment of Serge Dresses at \$5.95, \$7.95 and \$9.95, worth double.

New Satin Skirts at \$4.95, worth while your inspection

Through and through you'll greatly profit by calling at our store tomorrow (Saturday) and at any time between now and Christmas.



Exclusive Shop.

A. KLINE, Manager

### To Retain Territory

At a meeting of the Scioto county board of education Friday the members voted not to transfer part of Madison township school territory to the Pike county board of education. Farmers of the vicinity of Stockdale had petitioned for a transfer.

### Concert Company Tonight

The fourth number of the high school lecture course will be given this evening at 8 o'clock. The Cord-Rummel Reginal company is the attraction.

### SLOAN'S LINIMENT EASES PAIN

Sloan's Liniment is first thought of by mothers for bumps, bruises and sprains that are continually happening to children. It quickly penetrates and soothes without rubbing. Cleaner and more effective than mussy plasters or ointments. For rheumatic aches, neuralgia pain and that grippy soreness after colds, Sloan's Liniment gives prompt relief. Have a bottle handy for bruises, strains, sprains and all external pain. For the thousands whose work calls them outdoors, the pains and aches following exposure are relieved by Sloan's Liniment. At all Druggists, 25c.

### Back From Motor Trip

Attorney D. Willard Gustin returned Thursday evening from a four day motor trip to Columbus.

### Paper Towels Disappear

Paper towels have disappeared from wash-rooms of leading local cafes during the past fortnight, owners having discarded the same for the time being, owing to the high cost of paper.

Vitalite used on all Enamel work by Brehmer, the Painter. 14f

### In Cincinnati

Frank Stanton, one of the proprietors of the Smoke House, is in Cincinnati on business.

### First Over Road

W. J. Cullum of the W. J. Cullum company says he was the first man to drive an automobile over the paved road just opened between Lindsay Hollow and Wheelersburg.

Down they go! Strictly fresh eggs one day only 40 cents per dozen. Coverston Meat Market, Phone 746. 8-11

## Xmas Ties



## Xmas Shirts

# Our Store is Full of Useful Xmas Gifts

and we suggest that you buy early while our stock is complete. Men's Ties in beautiful Xmas boxes. Prices from 50c to \$1.50. Men's Shirts in all the new patterns. Prices from 50c to \$1.50. Silk Sox in all colors, 35c and 50c. We have many useful gifts to suggest. Stop in at our store and let us show you what we have, and note the savings on your Xmas shopping.

## L. F. Lemon & Co.

East End

Head of Lawson

## Xmas Sox

## Xmas Shoes

PHONE 285.

CALL US TONIGHT IF POSSIBLE. ORDERS GIVEN TONIGHT WILL GO OUT ON FIRST DELIVERY SATURDAY MORNING. OPEN TILL 9 O'CLOCK TONIGHT

# JANSEN'S CUT-RATE GROCERY!

**Pure Cane Sugar** Highest grade extra fine. **\$2.00**  
Best grade extra fine. Per 25 lb. sack.

**Competition Flour** Flour is not getting cheaper. This flour is worth today in car load lots \$10.50 per barrel. Our price for this sale is \$10.00. Per sack \$1.25. We claim this flour to be as good as any flour sold on the market and far superior to the majority. **\$1.25**

**SWANS DOWN FLOUR**  
If you can't bake a good cake try this flour. You can't miss it. Per package .25c

**SOAP**  
Star, Ivory, Fels, P. K. G., Grand Pa's, Octagon, Easy Task, Fairy, Clean Easy, Borax Soap 10 bars .45c  
Octagon Powder, Star Powder, Rub-N-More Powder 10 boxes .45c

**RED BIRD COFFEE**  
We guarantee this coffee to be equal to any 30c coffee on the market. Special per pound .25c

**GAS MANTLES**  
Upright 2 for .15c  
Inverted, 2 for .25c

**MAPLE FLAKE**  
A very fine Corn Flake, special, per package .12c

**CHICKEN FEED**  
For old chickens, 8 pounds for .25c

**POTATOES**  
Home grown potatoes, extra fine, peck 48c  
Sweet Potatoes, genuine Jersey, per peck .45c

**ONIONS**  
Large, sound, very mild, just fine. Special per one-half peck .30c

**EGGS**  
Every egg guaranteed. Special per dozen, while they last .43c

**TAPIOCA**  
Nice for pudding also, 3 boxes for .25c

**PICKLES**  
Sweet Pickles, bottle .10c  
Large Jumbo, sour, per dozen .15c  
Large, sweet, per dozen .12c

**COCOA**  
Baker's 1-2 pound can .23c  
Baker's 10c can .9c  
Lowney's 1-2 pound can .23c  
Lowney's 10c can .9c  
Hershey's 1-2 pound can .19c  
Hershey's 1 pound can .35c  
Hershey's 10c size 3 for .25c

**VINEGAR**  
Pure Apple Vinegar, special per gal. 20c

**BROOMS**  
Extra good, special .90c  
Mop, special .25c

**PEANUT BUTTER**  
Loose 2 pounds .25c  
Large jars, each .23c

**MATCHES**  
Six boxes for .25c

**PAN CAKE FLOUR**  
Aunt Jemima's .10c  
Aunt Jemima's Buckwheat .10c  
Virginia Sweet, 3 boxes .25c  
Teko .10c

**PURE LARD**  
No. 2 Buckets .40c  
No. 4 Buckets .75c  
No. 10 Buckets \$1.90

**PINEAPPLES**  
Now if you want something good try a can of this, sliced in heavy syrup; nicer than the fresh ones, per can .15c and 25c

**BREAD**  
3 loaves good fresh Bread for .10c

**NEW GOODS**  
New Prunes, extra large, per pound 20c  
New Prunes, medium, per pound .15c  
New Peaches, per pound .10c  
New Raisins, per package .10c  
New Currants, per package .13c  
New Mince Meat, 2 packages .25c  
New Citron, per pound .25c  
New Rolled Oats, loose, per pound .5c  
New Oat Meal, loose, per pound .5c  
New Barley, loose, 2 pounds .15c  
New Rice, broken, pound .5c  
New Rice, Japan, 2 pounds .15c  
New Rice, California, 3 pounds .25c  
New Figs, per package .10c  
New Dates, per package .15c  
New Citron, pound .25c  
Flake Hominy, pound .5c

**ARGO STARCH**  
6 small boxes for .27c  
1 large 5 pound box .23c

**MACARONI**  
Loose 2 pounds .15c  
6 small boxes .25c  
3 large boxes .25c

**TOILET PAPER**  
6 regular 5c rolls for .25c  
3 regular 10c rolls for .25c

**ROME BEAUTY APPLES**  
Good cookers and good eaters, special per peck .30c

**CHERRIES**  
Large white cherries in large 3-pound cans, just fine for a change, special 25c

**NEW CANNED GOODS**  
Buckwheat, four pounds .25c  
Graham Flour, per pound .5c  
Yellow Meal, 3 pounds .10c  
White Meal, 3 pounds .10c

**NEW CANNED GOODS**  
Good Corn, per can .10c  
Best Corn, 2 cans .25c  
Best Peas, 2 cans .25c  
Good Peas, per can .10c  
Best Tomatoes, 2 cans .25c  
Kidney Beans, 3 pound can, 2 cans 25c  
Kraut, per can .15c  
Beets, 3 cans .25c  
Pumpkin, 3 cans .25c  
Pineapple, per can .15c  
Blackberries, 2 cans .25c  
Tuna Fish, potted, per can .10c

**HEBE**  
The best substitute for milk you ever bought.  
3 large cans .25c  
6 small cans .25c

**MOTT'S PURE CIDER**  
This is the finest cider you ever tasted.  
special per quart .20c

**CORN FLAKES**  
Krinkle, fresh from factory, four regular 10c boxes for .25c

**BAKING POWDER**  
Royal 1 pound box 40c; 1-2 pound box 23c  
Davis O. K. 1 pound boxes .19c  
Good Luck Baking Powder, special, 3 cans for .25c  
Rumford's Baking Powder, per pound 20c

## LUNCH SPECIALS

Boiled Ham, per pound .35c  
Red Bird Salmon, 2 cans .25c  
Pink Salmon, per can .10c  
Oil Sardines, 6 boxes .27c  
Mustard Sardines, 6 boxes .27c  
Argo Salmon, 2 cans .35c  
Kipperd Herring, per box .10c

**GRAPE FRUIT**  
Nice size 4 for .25c  
Lemons, per dozen .20c  
Oranges, sweet, per dozen .20c  
Bananas, very large, per dozen .15c

**PIE FILLERS**  
Pumpkin, 3 cans for .25c  
Mince Meat, 3 boxes for .25c  
Blackberries, 2 cans .25c  
Red Raspberries, 2 cans .25c  
Peaches, 3 cans .25c  
Cocoanut, 3 packages .25c  
Lemons, per dozen .20c  
Cranberries, quart .12c  
Apples, peck .30c  
Apricots, can .20c  
Cherries, can .20c

**BREAKFAST BACON**  
Best grade lean, just fine, per pound .23c  
California Hams, special per pound .15c  
Pickled Pork, just fine, per pound .17c

**CHEESE**  
Limburger, per pound .30c  
Cream, per pound .23c

**CRANBERRIES**  
Just received a fresh shipment Cape Cod, special per quart .12c

**BUTTER**  
Best Creamery, per pound .45c  
Oleomargarine, per pound .20c

**SYRUP**  
1-2 gallon Red American Beauty .25c  
1 gallon Red American Beauty .50c  
1-2 gallon White .25c  
1 gallon White .50c

**CLEANSERS**  
Old Dutch 3 cans for .25c  
Light House 6 cans for .25c  
Keen Kleener 6 cans for .25c

**PET MILK**  
Three large .35c  
Six Small .35c  
Eagle Brand, 2 for .35c

**ASPARAGUS**  
Del Monte brand; this is without any exception the finest you ever tasted; special per can .25c

**NUTS**  
English Walnuts, new nuts, per pound 25c  
Peanuts, fresh roasted, per quart, .10c

**COD FISH**  
Cod Fish, per pound .15c  
Also fish flakes, per box .10c

**CORN STARCH**  
Make a corn starch pudding for a change, it's cheap and it's good; special, 3 boxes for .25c

**CRACKERS**  
Best Butter, per pound .12c  
Jersey Butters, per pound .10c  
Ginger Snaps, per pound .10c  
Graham Wafers, per pound .12c  
Pretzels, per pound .15c  
Macaroon Snaps, per pound .18c  
Cocoanut Cakes, per pound .18c

## Accusing Woman Will Also Face Charges

A case filed in Squire John W. Dwyer's court Friday morning had a boy. And upon the boy's admissions, peculiar termination, in which both he was given an indeterminate term the plaintiff and defendant were held in the Lancaster Reformatory.

At the conference the woman admitted that she had one illegitimate child three years of age.

Attorney Johnley asked for a trial by jury and his request was granted. The time set being next Friday morning.

Judge Bentley stated that there had been three or four similar cases of women charging youths with having committed adultery. This practice, he said, would be broken up, if possible.

### SYMPATHY FOR "KIRBY"

John Edmunds and Harry Dunham, commercial tourists, of Winchester, Ky., called on their former fellow townsman, Safety Director E. K. S. Clinkenbeard, Friday morning, to pay their respects. They were enroute to Huntington, W. Va., and dropped off here to enter their condolences to "Kirby" over Hughes' defeat, both being "shoot-in-the-head" Democrats.

## Simple Laxative Remedy Best For Constipation

Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin Gave Satisfaction When Nothing Else Would

Nearly every one, at one time or another, suffers from constipation, or inactive bowels, and one of the few conclusions upon which the doctors agree is that regularity of the bowels is an essential to good health.

In the family medicine chest of most well-ordered households will be found one or more of the various remedies recommended for the relief of constipation. In the majority of homes today the combination of simple laxative herbs with pepsin known as Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is recognized as the standard laxative. Druggists everywhere report a constantly increasing demand for this splendid remedy which is sold for fifty cents a bottle.

Mr. James Ash, 102 Green St., Cumberland, Md., wrote to Dr. Caldwell that he found Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin the most effective remedy for constipation he had ever used and that he always keeps a bottle of it on hand for use when necessary.



A mild laxative, and does not grip or strain, but acts gently and brings relief in an easy, natural manner. Its freedom from opiates or narcotic drugs makes it the ideal family laxative.

To avoid imitations and ineffective substitutes be sure you get Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. See that a facsimile of Dr. Caldwell's signature and his portrait appear on the yellow carton in which the bottle is packed. A trial bottle, free of charge, can be obtained by writing to Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 455 Washington St., Monticello, N. H.

## Orient Elects

At a well-attended meeting of Orient Encampment No. 26, I. O. O. F., held Thursday night, the following officers were elected for the new year: C. A. Rice, chief patriarch; Joseph Turner, senior warden; Ernest S. White, high priest; Jacob Holstetter, junior warden; T. M. Lynn, recording scribe; J. H. Lynn, financial scribe; Dallas Leman, treasurer; George Long, trustee; and George C. Haneck, delegate.

## WIDOW GETS \$3,329

Mrs. Lulah Gray of the Seoto Trail, has been awarded the handsome sum of \$3,329 by the Ohio Industrial Commission. On October 6 a truck on which her husband the late Taylor Wade Gray was driving was struck by an N. & W. passenger train at Eleventh and Gay streets, and Gray received injuries which resulted in his death in the Hempstead hospital.

Mr. Devoss in City  
Arthur Devoss, who holds a position as architect with the State Industrial Commission with headquarters in Columbus is in the city on a short business trip. He is a member of the local architectural firm of Devoss and Donaldson, First National bank building.

Will Light Mabert Road  
Now that the new county bridge across the Seoto river was lighted for the first time Thursday night city officials are turning attention to Mabert Road. Two new arc lights for that street were authorized some weeks ago but a lack of wire supply has interfered with the installation of the service. Service Director Ralph Calvert expects to give the same his immediate attention.

Ford Tire Stolen  
J. E. Schoonover, a grocer, of Ninth and Waller streets, reported to the police that an automobile tire was stolen from his Ford touring car while it was in the shed at the rear of his store Thursday night.

U. S. A. Robbed  
Captain W. J. Keyes of Company K, reported to the police Thursday night that a rifle and blanket had been stolen from the armory.

## Thieves Visit Greenlawn

Residents in the vicinity of Greenlawn cemetery, Tuesday night, at nine o'clock. They lawn cemetery reported to the police that they saw two men stirring graves. Officers hurried to the scene, but found no signs of the men.

men. Supt. Henry Cline said no graves had been disturbed.

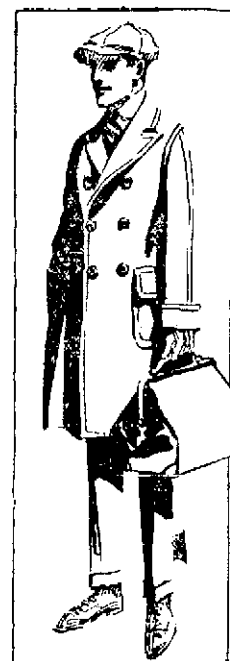
Taken to Hospital  
William Russell, colored of Memphis, Tenn., who was taken ill at Marshall's saloon in the North End Thursday night, was removed to Hempstead hospital for treatment. He seemed to be suffering with pneumonia fever. City Physician Dr. H. M. Kell attended him.

Visited Friends  
David Arvard, employed as an engineer in the water works plant in fronton, spent Thursday with friends in this city.

813-815 GALLIA

## JOSEPH BROWN Men's and Boys' Clothing As A Christmas Gift Can Not Be Excelled

KRICKER BUILDING



Clothes of Culture  
Samuel W. Peck & Co.



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Select clothing from our great stocks; you receive the right kind of clothing when you purchase here at a moderate price. Take a little time before you make your selections and compare our clothing with those of other stores and you will be convinced that this is the store where you always get the best values.

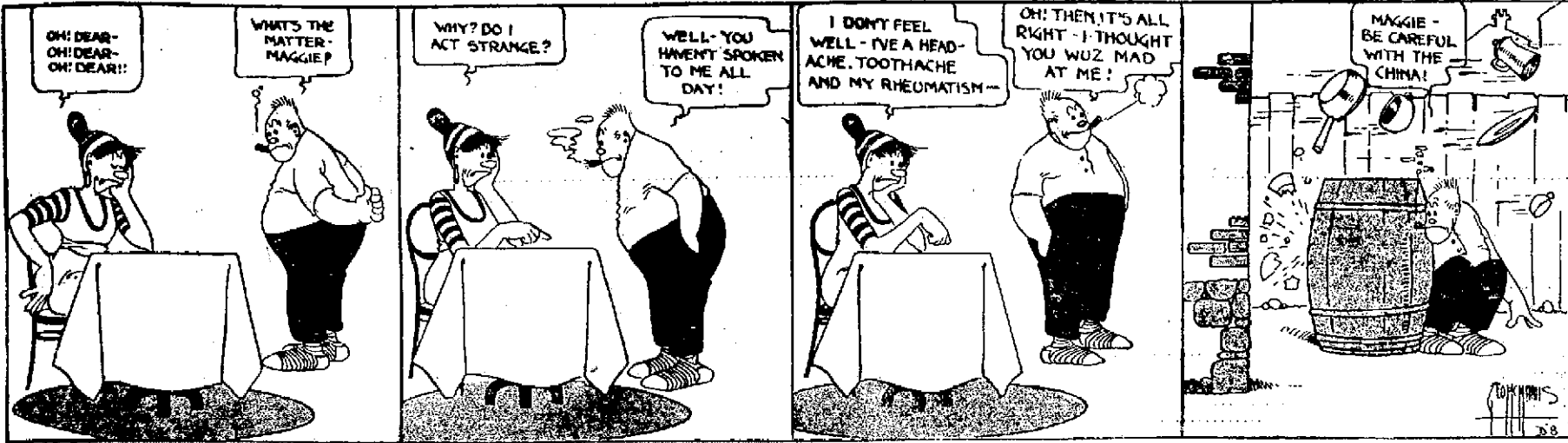
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813-815 GALLIA STREET

KRICKER BUILDING



## BRINGING UP FATHER.



By GEORGE McMANUS

**K. Boys Will Vote**  
The election of officers in the Serenith Regiment, Ohio National Guards, will take place Saturday afternoon and evening. Every officer and private in the regiment will be eligible to vote.  
Capt. J. W. Keyes, of Company K, announced Friday that the armory would be open between the hours of 4 to 8 o'clock Saturday afternoon and evening. All privates and officers are expected to vote.  
The nominees are: Tom O. Crossan, for Colonel; Elmer P. Walser, for lieutenant colonel and Samuel M. Johnson and Fred S. Russell for major.

**Are Erecting Forms**  
The S. Monroe & Son Company's forces are erecting the forms for the driveway of the new flood wall at the foot of Bond street.

**Successful Hunt**  
Grover W. M. Payne, of Second and Jefferson streets, has returned from a successful rabbit hunt near Peebles, Adams county.

# Board Of Trade Stands For World Peace And Prosperity

## Wilson Urged To Name Peace Board; Peerless Is After The Armor Plant; Great Banquet Enjoyed

### HEADLIGHTS ON THE BANQUET

Action favoring the appointment of an unofficial commission by President Wilson to devise some plan to bring about peace in war stricken Europe.

The endorsement of the directors' action, protesting the sale of the Children's Home property.

A resolution endorsing the movement to promote a Bureau of Community Service.

The appointment of a committee to formulate a plan to land the new \$11,000,000 government armor plant for Portsmouth.

The moral support of the organization was pledged to secure the Daylight Saving Plan for the city.

A lighting system for the towpath was heartily endorsed.

The election of Vallee Harold as president of the board and the selection of an enthusiastic board of directors.

Big things were planned for the Greater Portsmouth and Scioto county Thursday evening at the annual meeting and banquet of the board of trade, held at the Washington hotel. The enthusiasm which marked the inauguration of the work contemplated for the coming year, presages much success. Many important endorsements and resolutions were enacted, several of which may mean much for the welfare of this city.

Active steps are to be taken and taken at once—in an effort to secure the new \$11,000,000 government armor plant for this city. And in a small but sincere way, a movement was started for the appointment of an unofficial commission by President Wilson to prepare plans for bringing about peace in the European countries.

Action was taken favoring the promotion of the Bureau of Community Service, the lighting of the

**PRESIDENT KNAUSS IN WASHINGTON**

Frank V. Knauss, the retiring president, was unable to attend the meeting, having been sent by the board in Washington to present to Secretary of War Newton D. Baker a copy of a resolution favoring the raising of a low bridge across the Alleghany river near Pittsburgh, Pa., so that an interrupted river passage might be had from here to the Alleghany valley.

It was near seven o'clock when the members of the organization assembled in the well appointed and handsomely decorated banquet room of the Washington hotel. Toward the front was one long table, at which the speakers, the directors and officers of the board of trade were seated. Paraphrasing this were many similar tables.

Small glass candle sticks with red-green shades shed a pleasing light over the festive board. When the 121 guests had gathered, Rev. Lloyd Strecker, pastor of the Trinity Methodist church, gave invocation. Still standing at their

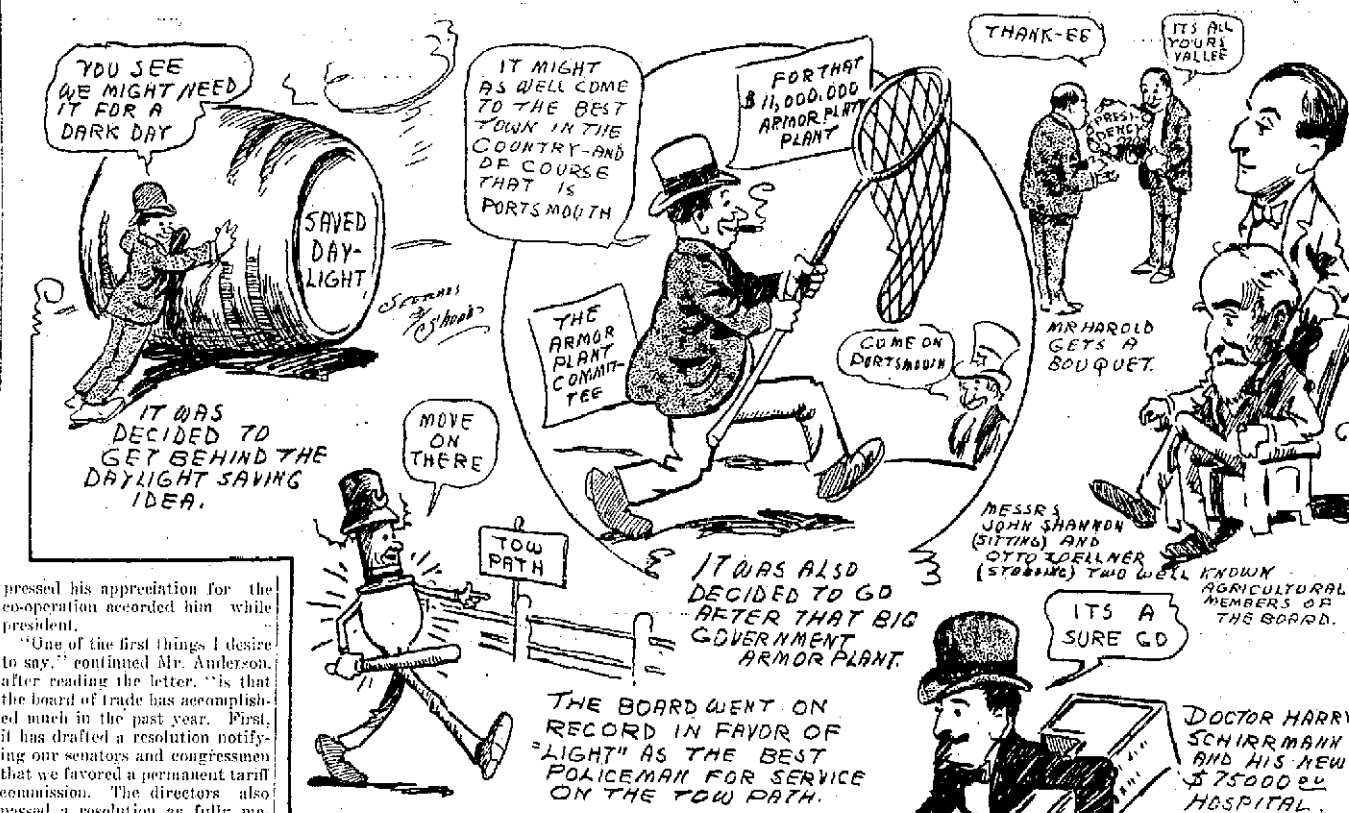
places, one hundred and ninety-three voices blended in the sweet melody of the national hymn.

Then the serving began, and white coated waiters whisked here and there, serving course after course of good things. Laughter blended with enthusiastic conversation and everyone became acquainted with his neighbor over coffee cups and dainty dishes.

When the last course was served W. B. Anderson, acting president, explained that Frank V. Knauss, the retiring president, was unable to attend on account of his absence from the city. "Somehow I feel that we are going to miss Mr. Knauss' wet and dry humor," explained Mr. Anderson. "For years he has been an officer and director of the board of trade. He has been one of its staunch supporters; always ready and willing to give his time and resources toward the things for which it stands."

A letter from Mr. Knauss was read in which he stated his regret of inability to be present and ex-

### SIDE LIGHTS ON THE BOARD OF TRADE BANQUET



pressed his appreciation for the co-operation accorded him while president.

"One of the first things I desire to say," continued Mr. Anderson, after reading the letter, "is that the board of trade has accomplished much in the past year. First, it has drafted a resolution notifying our senators and congressmen that we favored a permanent tariff commission. The directors also passed a resolution as fully maintaining protesting against the sale of the Children's Home property. This resolution I am sure you are all familiar with and have seen in the Times only this evening, what action was taken by the various women's clubs.

"The board of trade has permanent officers and a secretary who is on the job all the time. There is a permanent head. The interests

**PLEA FOR PEACE IN EUROPE**

L. C. Turley was introduced by Mr. Anderson, who added that a resolution would be presented for the consideration of the members. Mr. Turley explained that a resolution favoring the creation of an unofficial commission to devise a plan for establishing peace in Europe had been prepared. The resolution, which is as follows, was unanimously adopted:

"Whereas, There is a growing feeling among the great common thinking people of America that the monstrous slaughter of millions of men and untold suffering of tens of millions of women and children in Europe, is not only horrible, but futile, inasmuch as there can be no real conclusion or decision other than hopeless, desperate exhaustion of one or all of the people of those countries at strife, and that therefore peace made now as after further destruction and infinitely better for all those people immediately concerned, and with all due humility upon our part and a full appreciation of our modest sphere in the world, but remembering that great events sometimes have their impetus from an apparently obscure source, therefore be it,

Resolved, That we hereby earnestly petition Hon. Woodrow Wilson, president of the United States of America, that he appoint an unofficial commission to devise some plan, or to conceive some thought, which may be followed out in such a manner that cannot justly of our friends at war and which may quickly culminate in a peace without further dishonor or humiliation to any of these great common people who are so loyally, heroically, but blindly, destroying themselves.

And we would most respectfully pray that five or seven members of such commission be selected of our most able men of national or international experience whom all will recognize as our most able and best. We believe seven Americans can be named who could plan to accomplish almost anything, seemingly hopeless as it might appear to be.

That a copy of this resolution and preamble be wired to the president upon our adjournment tonight and that a copy of same be forwarded tomorrow, by special delivery mail, and if such plan is approved by the press that all the newspapers and journals of the United States please copy and support, regardless of politics, nationality or religion."

Following the passage of the foregoing resolution and amid humorous shouts of "War's Over in Europe," John E. Williams graciously unceremoniously of the evening, which resulted in favorable action on a resolution endorsing the location of the new United States armor plant in this city.

"It is assumed, it seems," Mr. Williams said, with a broad grin, "that Portsmouth is not going to make a bid for the new armor plant site. Then why not do the graceful and proper thing and join hands with Ironton and lend her all the aid and encouragement we can in presenting her claims and manifold advantages. This is what an editorial in The Times says about the new armor plant.

"It has been said that Ironton is a rival of Portsmouth. There are lots of good things in Ironton. Some of us went up there to get our wives. Ironton is logically and geographically situated to take care of just such a plant and the business organizations of that city now has a lobby established at Washington for the purpose of getting the plant.

"Now Portsmouth has all it can do to take care of what it has for the next five or ten years. If we really try to get more than we can adequately take care of we will be hindered. It will make rent higher and property values decrease. We cannot now house the people we have here now. Therefore, Mr. President, why not help sustain the action taken by Ironton and I move you that it be the sense of this board that it hereby tender its support and assistance to our Sister City—Ironton."

There was a moment of silence, which was broken by Samuel Horchow, who stated that he emphatically objected to the proposals offered by Mr. Williams and enthusiastically declared that Portsmouth was fully able to take care of an armor plant and urged prompt action on the part of the board of trade toward securing the new industry.

A tremendous ovation was paid Vallee Harold, the new president, when he asked permission to make some remarks upon the proposal of securing the armor plant.

**GET THE ARMOR PLANT FOR PEERLESS**

"I believe, and you do, in a greater and better Portsmouth and there is not one of us who would not do a great deal to get the armor plant of the United States government here. Portsmouth, I would be to assist Ironton secure the plant, as their business organizations had already launched their campaign in Washington. If located in Ironton, it would probably be near Haring's Hotel and only a short distance from Portsmouth, he added.

"I don't know what you mean, Judge," Mr. Anderson humorously declared, "unless that Portsmouth is growing so rapidly that they will eventually annex Ironton."

Taking the motto, "Portsmouth, The City That Does," as his theme, Adam Frick said that he stood unqualifyingly for what the phrase meant. As for a suitable place of location, and it was announced that it would require 60 acres of level land, Mr. Frick said

relative to the movement which was launched here Wednesday for a Bureau of Community Service by the merger of the Associated Charities and the Anti-Tuberculosis League, a resolution was offered by Judge George M. Osborn, which was unanimously passed.

It is: "Resolved, That the board of trade of the city of Portsmouth, in annual meeting assembled, heartily endorses the movement now being promoted by citizens of this city for the establishment of a Bureau of Community Service, and tenders to the promoters its aid in the accomplishment of that purpose."

The resolution passed by the directors some time ago protesting against the sale of the Children's Home property was referred to in a short talk by Oscar Colburn, who submitted a motion endorsing the action. It was passed.

Alan N. Jordan offered a motion favoring the lighting of the towpath. It was adopted.

William Tritschler, George Zottmann, Charles Horr and B. G. Harris were appointed tellers to collect and count the ballots for the election of officers and a directorate. The result announced was: Vallee Harold, president; Frank V. Knauss, first vice president; John C. Bauer, second vice president; Albert Zoellner, third vice president; Adam Frick, treasurer; Warwick W. Anderson, Albert P. Marting, Robert G. Bryan, James W. Bannion, John McMillan, Frederick E. Fieger, George E. Carlyle, Mark W. Selby, E. B. Appel and Raymond D. York.

A new constitution and a set of by-laws was also adopted.

Judge George M. Osborn was introduced as toastmaster by Acting President W. B. Anderson.

"I am highly honored and greatly gratified by being selected to preside on this occasion," Judge Osborn said. "I don't know but that it looks bad for the past years

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Paper houses, parlor sets, tables, drums, animals, fire departments, tin toys, swings, cradles, beds, chairs, tool sets, cars, locomotives, furniture, garden set, iron banks, trunks, automobiles, horses, ships, games, guns, balls, banjos, pistols, iron toys, tea sets, checker boards, tubs, wagons, etc.

## Toys Choice for 25c

Large tables, lawn swings, beds, lawn chairs, cradles, tool chest, trunks, drums, pianos, trains, table sets, soldier sets, tea set, hook and ladder, fire engine, guns, soldier suits, furniture, wagons, wheelbarrows, blackboard, magic lanterns, flying machines, engines, etc.

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## Miss Dolly Wise

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find out more about it by seeing Miss Strong at the hospital.

Hanford, Calif.—Dear Dolly:— I am a boy ten years old and in the fourth grade. When I go to school I can't help but laugh and my mouth is so big the mother will not be able to care for the child and is anxious to find some one who would take the child and adopt it. Any of my readers who are interested may say I must not do any thing like

that. What would you do?

SUN FLOWER.  
My dear little boy just let the girls laugh at you. I don't think they mean any harm by it. The other little boys are probably jealous of you because the girls do notice you. Girls like boys who smile and don't look cross. If you always keep in a good humor and cultivate a sunny disposition, your large mouth won't be noticed. I think you must be a very attractive little boy.

Dear Miss Wise—When coming

home from the show with a boy is it proper to thank him for taking you, or is it all right to merely tell him you had a good time? When it is too late to ask him in, what should she say? When a girl keeps steady company with a boy what can she talk about, as it is rather difficult to talk about a different subject every time you go with him? I am 10 years old. Am I too young to get married? I have a chance to leave home and travel and have all my expenses paid, but my parents object. Do you advise me to go? Thanking you for answering these questions, also for telling me some time ago how to clean my blue skirt, as it cleaned very nicely.

MILDRED M.  
Tell him you enjoyed the evening. Merely say good-night. Cultivate the power of observation and tell him about the things of interest you have seen in the meantime. In a short time you will be surprised to note how many ordinary things have a new interest. Many girls marry at 16. Follow your parents' advice; they know best.

Dear Miss Wise—Will the mail collar be worn? Please mention some styles in fur collars that will be fashionable. READER.  
The mail collar still holds. It is a trifle more exaggerated than it was last year. The sailor collar is, in closing about the chin in front is very good; the "owl" falling in regular folds about the throat, is another good choice, and any type of fur scarf is the vogue.

Dear Miss Wise—Please give me a few suggestions for souvenirs to give at a Christmas family gathering.

BETTY.  
If you mean favors for the Christmas dinner table, miniature turkeys or Santa Claus would be appropriate, and many other suitable favors would meet your eyes in a brief trip through the stores. Christmas bells and folding caps are inexpensive and lend a festive air.

Dear Miss Wise—We are two young girls and wish to know what is meant by "personality" and how to acquire it. TWO FRIENDS.

Personality is the registration of a man's response to various stimuli. If your outward manner grates on other people's nerves, you have an unpleasant personality. If your outward manner seems to create harmony wherever you are, you have a pleasant personality. If you make an impression one way or the other, people say you have personality. Personality is the way the spark of

the divine within one asserts itself. Some persons seem to be born with more of it than others. It can be fostered and cultivated. Personality is the thing which makes one do the thousand conventionalities of everyday life in a way which seems to be entirely individual.

Certain traits of personality may be acquired but it must be done thoroughly. Surface pretense was never mistaken for personality. It must be buried in the muscles.

## SOCIETY

Miss Mary Murray returned last evening to Wheelersburg after a two weeks' visit among relatives and friends in this city.

Mrs. Fred Kennerly entertained the Fourth Street Ladies' Aid Society yesterday afternoon when Mrs.

Frank Enth was the assisting hostess. There were thirty-nine members, including a few visitors, present. The rooms were prettily decorated with Christmas bells and holly, in keeping with the holiday season. Eighty-nine dollars was the amount realized on the Bazaar held recently. Mrs. Fred Winter rendered several beautiful vocal selections, with Mrs. A. L. Marting at the piano. Dainty refreshments were served in the prettily adorned dining-room. A large cluster of beautiful carnations, a gift from the Herms Floral Company, adorned the center of the table.

Mrs. W. S. Walker will entertain the Country Club next Friday afternoon, when the Christmas passing party will be a feature of the event.

Mrs. R. O. LeBaron has issued invitations to a bridge party Friday afternoon, December fifteenth, at 2 o'clock, followed by a tea, at her home on Second street.

Mrs. Philip Hise has moved into her pretty new bungalow at 1629 Fifth street. Her new telephone number is 947-11.

The New Century Club met yesterday afternoon at Masonic parlors, where resolutions were passed, unanimously, for the preservation of the Children's Home grounds for park purposes. Mrs. W. C. Ferguson played a piano number in place of Mrs. George Kah, and little Miss Sarah Louise Walker, attired in colonial costume, recited "The Minuet" to music. Mrs. James Williams conducted an interesting spelling match.

The Bigelow Methodist Women's Foreign Missionary Society will meet next Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. S. Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Storck and family will move Monday from Ninth street to their beautiful new home on Franklin avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. James Fewer, of Cincinnati, are spending a few days with local relatives and friends.

Mrs. A. L. Hammett, of Second street, returned Thursday from a week's visit to relatives in Trenton and Ashland.

Meet Me At Nye's Fountain. 121

Division Six, of Manly Ladies' Aid Society held an interesting meeting yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. George Luther. Rev. J. F. Grimes, pastor of the church, and sister, Mrs. Orndorff, were present and rendered beautiful piano and vocal music. There were twenty present. The next sum of \$20 was realized on the recent sale of aprons. After the business the hostess served dainty refreshments.

The Holmes Club meeting planned for this evening will be postponed until next Monday evening, when it will be held at the home of Mrs. Fred Lorey, on Robinson avenue.

The West Portsmouth and Kendall Avenue W. C. T. U. met Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. C. Coverston. Mrs. L. E. White gave a report of the National convention. Mrs. Reiser, county secretary, gave an enthusiastic talk on the work for the coming year. Plans for the betterment of the community were discussed. The Christmas treat for the infirmary was planned. One new member was reported. The next meeting will be the first Thursday in January. Let every member plan to come.

Mrs. R. H. Stephenson, of Wallace, Idaho, left yesterday to continue her visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Thomas, after a delightful visit with her sister, Mrs. D. H. Rogers. Mrs. Stephenson will return to Portsmouth for the holidays and will be accompanied by her daughter, Miss Martha Estelle Stephenson, who attends Sweetbrier school in Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Richards, of West Union are here for a short visit. Mrs. Richards was formerly Mrs. Foster, chief operator at the Home Telephone office in this city.

Bake and Fancy Article Sale at Gas Office Saturday afternoon by Mrs. Thomas' class and Opportunity Auxiliary of Second Church.

Mr. Nelson Weedon, of the Portsmouth Solway company, will spend Sunday with friends in Ashland, where he was located for several years.

Miss Jennie Mitchell and Miss Stella Plummer, of Vanceburg, Ky., spent Thursday here with friends.

Mrs. J. A. Booker will be hostess at the next meeting of the Prisoners.

Mrs. Cecil Miller will entertain the Wednesday Afternoon Sewing Club Wednesday, December 20th.

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# BOARD OF TRADE

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by the reversal of form shown by the board of trade in getting rid of some of the old time ideas and it is a tribute to some of us 'last leaves.'

"I do not want to take up much of your time. We have a number of talkers and by observation from experience I might say that when some of these compressed air speakers get started it is a hard matter to stop them. It is easy to start them.

"I want to say one word about the armor plant, which I don't want you to lose sight of. We are talking about getting the plant. If we get it where will it be located? It has got to go to Wheelersburg."

H. D. Worley, social welfare and organization expert, Cincinnati, was asked to give the assembly a brief idea of the plans and object of the Bureau of Community Service. A short history of the movement to create the organization which will merge the interests of the social welfare, the charity and the work of the Anti-Tuberculosis League, with a view of maximum efficiency, was related by Mr. Worley. A review of the results of a survey conducted in the city by social welfare workers was given.

In concluding, he explained that he represented no certain interests or organizations and came

## RUMANIAN DISCUSSES EXPORTS

"I want to first apologize for my English. I am a native of Rumania and have been here but just a few years and it is hard for me to speak perfect English. But I will endeavor to do my best," Mr. White said.

"I have been asked to discuss the export trade of this country. The export trade from this country for big opportunities is unlimited. I am an exporter myself and I have been getting orders so big that it is absolutely impossible to take care of them.

"I am here in Portsmouth to visit the Excelsior Shoe company to place a large order for shoes. The only thing I am afraid of is that the order cannot be taken care of.

"Some say that this business will only last until the war in Europe closes. Take the men from the different nations that are now fighting. Suppose that the war should close. These men will leave the trenches and the first thing they will do will be to take a good rest. They will not step right into business again. Before the war they were organized. To organize Europe on a basis as before the war so that they could compete with this country would

## MR. HAROLD DISCUSSES "COURTHOUSE"

"Courthouse" was the theme of an address delivered by President-elect Vallee Harold.

"The first courthouse in Seinto county was occupied June 1, 1817. It was a pretentious structure for those days," Mr. Harold said. "It was a two story affair, 40 by 40 feet in size and cost the enormous total of \$3265.

"But I wish to call your attention to this significant fact. In those days they had to borrow money to build and had to tax themselves heavily to do it.

"Early as seven years later the county court proposed to build a new courthouse at a cost of \$10,000 and in 1827 they went before the legislature to get the authority for the county to borrow \$10,000 to build a courthouse.

"It was not until 1836 that the contract for the courthouse was awarded. In October 1837, the \$10,000 was borrowed. The state

## WHY A NEW COURTHOUSE IS NEEDED

"A new courthouse is desirable both because of need and self respect. The present one is entirely inadequate to the requirements of the public business and is rapidly approaching dilapidation and decay. There are no modern accommodations, or appointments about it. It is ill-fitted in quite every respect. In the commissioners' room there is not space to seat twenty persons, though half a hundred often await audience therein. There are no vestibules or lobbies to a single office and persons transacting business therein, must cool their heels in the hall or else intrude immediately among the books and papers and work people, assuming there are people at the court house who actually work. Outside the recorder's quarters there is absolutely no pretense of protection of valuable records against either theft or fire. If I were asked to briefly describe the present structure, I would say it is a standing

## COMMUNITY MUST LIVE IN DECENTY

"I claim it is just as essential that a community live in decency and self respect as an individual. Self respect is character, it makes one's own just esteem and the

without a platform to assist in the organization of the Bureau of Community Service and to illustrate he related a story which brought forth a burst of laughter. "There was a Cincinnati Democrat—a friend of his—he decided to change his politics and affiliated with the Republican party. It was decided by the party organization that this gentleman should make an address in a certain country community. A party was formed and the speech advertised and the trip was made in an automobile.

On arriving, the speaker was non-plussed at finding no adequate platform from which to deliver his speech. A rural citizen quick to perceive the difficulties, pushed a "peculiar designed wagon, which was designed to spread a certain brand of fertilizer" into a prominent place.

The speaker mounted the wagon and said: "Gentlemen and Democrats." There was a pause and several giggles at the sally. Continuing, the speaker said: "It gives me great pleasure to say that I now stand on the Republican platform."

One of the unique features of the program—and a surprise too—was the introduction of Fred White, a resident of Galatz, Rumania, who is here endeavoring to place a large order for shoes with the Excelsior Shoe company.

require several years.

"Take for instance the people of Europe before the war were organized and we all know they competed in the markets of the world. After all this slaughter, people, the professional men will probably not exist so they will have to be taught the standard over again.

"One thing this country should do and that is have an American merchant marine. It would make it easier for us and we would all get the benefit of it.

"Gentlemen, I am proud to be here and I will take the best impressions of Portsmouth away with me. I wish you all success, prosperity and hope that all of the members of the board of trade take the opportunities that are now offered you."

As his first official act, Vallee Harold, president, announced the appointment of the following committee, whose duty it will be to use all means to secure the \$11,000,000 government armor plant for the city of Portsmouth: Harry W. Miller, Adam Frick, Samuel Hershaw, Harry E. Taylor and John C. Bauer. A positive injunction was given the committee to "get busy at once."

at this time levied taxes directly and it amounted to \$2516.59 a year and the total taxes in the county for the same period, including the school districts, was \$2865. It was almost identical with the state taxes, making a total of about \$5,700.

"This amounted to an actual nine mill levy which the people put upon themselves or a debt of about one cent in taxes to build a courthouse. This structure is preserved and is the one we see here now.

"In other words, it is almost 80 years old. It was about 65 by 40 feet in size. It was the same until 1882 when they put an addition on the county treasurer's office.

"The wealth of the county has increased 100 times since the courthouse was built in 1836. My idea is that we should have a courthouse to cost not less than \$500,000.

invitation to thievery and destruction. There is absolutely no provision against anyone evilly disposed towards making away with a valuable paper or record. Witness a day when delegates are in from Rocky Fork and Fellen Thibier, wanting "that there road opened," or a rush is on to pay taxes, and the wonder is that the ramshackle affair had not burned down fifty years ago. For people are throwing cigar and cigarette stubs and emptying pipes on the floor, fairly littering it with smoldering embers.

"It has been suggested additions might be built to meet increased and growing demands. Additions are impracticable and would result in a grotesque jumble that would be more humiliating to boasted importance and growth than the present structure. There are conditions that need to be improved from the ground up. That is they must be entirely removed.

good opinion of others. We may learn this much from our forebears in the records and deeds of this city. See the fine structures they erected on Front street, no doubt

the pride and wonder of their day, still envious to us of the present time. They wanted a court house in keeping with the consequence of the community and they tore down a comparatively new one and erected in its stead, one that was handsome for the period and commodious to the demands upon it. In other words in ten years they outgrew a public structure and called for a bigger and better new one. Can we maintain our self respect as one of the most progressive communities of this magnificent valley, can we measure up to the standard set by our ancestors by demolishing the aggregate wealth and interests of a rapidly developing section that is the common mock and jeer of all I think not.

"I repeat, a new courthouse is desirable from the standpoint of necessity and public decency. If we would maintain the character with which the pioneers laid the foundation of the greatness of city and county. A courthouse is the most common property of all. There isn't a solitary individual that hasn't a direct interest in it. There dwell the source of public peace and order, there are rested the interests of all our widows and orphans, there are set down and collected all our taxes, there are recorded the contracts and instruments of our business and industrial activity, there repose and ought to be held secure the title to an interest in every foot of realty. Suppose the courthouse burned down tonight. Could you or I measure the extent of the calamity that would ensue? We can have but small conception of it. Estates would lose and be defrauded, ownership of lands would be clouded, a veritable cloud of law suits would ensue and this generation would pass away and a succeeding one rise to maturity before the confusion would be measurably settled.

Gentlemen of the Board of Trade—Truthfully, the position of president of your worthy body comes from no personal seeking on my part, not so much even as a desire, but it would be far from the truth to say that I do not appreciate the honor. Indeed I am grateful for the favor you have bestowed upon me, and do not know of any distinction in which I would take so much pleasure and pride as in having an intimate connection and responsibility with the affairs and activities of our

## PROF. FRANK S. FOX NEXT SPEAKER

"It seems that the banquet is complete without further wind-jamming," Prof. Frank S. Fox, Columbus, said on being introduced. "There was an old lady once who took it upon herself to advise a court. He was arrested for stealing chickens and brought into court. And before the judge sentenced him, he asked him how he got the chickens.

"Rastus," he said, "you may state to the court how you were able to get past that window where the light was shining and past that bad natured dog and get out to that hen coop to get the chickens."

"Rastus said: 'Well, judge, I've got to tell you that you don't want to do such rascally for you'd get filled full of buck shot. You shore better stay on the bench with the business you're familiar with.'

"You were talking about a Community Service for your city. I have wondered how far your city will advance in the future. Portsmouth is a great place. I remember last summer that I met a man out west that said that he once lived in Portsmouth. I met another down in Missouri that knew some people from here and

## "BUSINESS" TOUCHES ALL IN COMMUNITY

"Of all interests in a community or country, business is among the foremost. It touches the welfare of every individual. It is the sinews which bind together all other interests. Without it, there can be no stability. If it is the heart, it is the life blood which invigorates all. It cannot be ignored and should not be jeopardized by any one.

"On the Other Side of the Counter!" We may see it from one side of the counter, but the other fellow sees it from the other

## What to Do for Itching Skins

There is usually immediate relief for itchy itching, burning and disfigured by eczema, ringworm, or similar sores—

ing skin-trouble, in a warm bath with resinol soap and a simple application of resinol ointment. The soothing, healing resinol medication stops itching at once, and soon clears away all trace of eruption, even in severe and stubborn cases, unless the trouble is due to some serious internal disorder. You need never hesitate to use resinol. It is a doctor's prescription that has been used by other physicians for twenty years in the treatment of skin affections. It contains absolutely nothing that could injure the tenderest skin. Every grain of resinol ointment and resinol soap, soothes tender skins and helps to make poor complexion clear, fresh and velvety, because it contains this resinol prescription.

Peerless City. It is not necessary for me to tell you how near and dear her progress and welfare are to my mind and heart. Without any assumption of modesty, in all sincerity I will say to you that you might have chosen better, though you could not have found one more desirous to serve in the development of the community in every fair direction. I know well my own limitations and my own shortcomings. I would choose as my model in this position one whose equipment for it was ideal, one whose deeds and works run strong through the whole history of the board of trade and whose name it is not necessary to mention. I can not look to rival his accomplishments, but I may hope that his spirit still abides with this association and will give me inspiration.

The board of trade is purely a voluntary association. It must be bound together and find its usefulness and potentiality in its civic pride and loyalty to the general and broader interests of the community. I urge individual cooperation and efforts to these ends. I bespeak for myself the earnest, undivided help of the board of directors and the suggestion and advice of all. Let us understand the work of this association is not solely dependent upon a selected few, but all and every member must lend himself readily and enthusiastically to promoting its objects. I myself, as president, can not make opportunities. I am expected to see them when they present themselves and sound the call to make profit of them. I desire and need the help of all.

There is only one suggestion to offer at this time and that is the membership of this body should be increased, let us say at least double. It is rather humiliating to know that such smaller places as Charleston, Parkersburg and other towns with annual dues anywhere from twice to five times as large as ours, have boards of trade with memberships two and even four times greater. There isn't a member here that could not get at least another member. Let him do it. I myself promise to do much more than that. In fact I have brought in several already and the work was so easy and pleasant that I am going to keep it up.

Gentlemen, again I most heartily thank you for your great kindness.

are undeveloped, the seller gets down piece after piece until the counter is piled high and then the buyer is more confused than ever.

## THE BUYERS NEED EDUCATING

"The buyer needs educating. He will not be satisfied unless his own judgment tells him finally that the purchase is right for him. Because too, the buyer is not clear in his own estimate of value. Frequently it happens that the sale fails. Then the clerk is disappointed, the buyer is disappointed and the firm has lost a customer.

"Of course I am keeping in mind the common buyer, not the professional. Book-keeping, penmanship, language, history, science and arithmetic are all of much importance but not more so than is educated ability to buy. Schools are criticized often because they do not teach pupils to spell better and know more arithmetic.

"I can say without flattery that this is the largest board of trade meeting I have ever spoken before. I can say encouragingly that it has not nearly reached its limit. You can do much good work together.

## DEVELOP YOUR SCHOOLS AND CHURCHES

He admonished the members of the board of trade to keep ever before them that the development of the public schools and churches were as equally important to a community as that of commercial activities. Citations from medieval history when utilitarianism was wholly sought in public education, were made. He declared that if the education of youths ceased for two generations that the people of the United States would become savages. This, he declared, was one of the many things "on the other side of the counter."

Foundations for successful business careers were often created by the study of literature. Hiram Maxim, the inventor of the automatic firearms, based his success upon his study of literature during his early life.

High tribute to the ability of Prof. Frank Appel was paid by the speaker when he stated that the local superintendent's reputation was state-wide.

In concluding, he said that with the enthusiasm displayed by the members of the board of trade, that many things could be accomplished. "Get out and demand for the community, the best possible," was his parting injunction.

At the close of the meeting many warm approvals were expressed over the organization for the coming year and most everyone felt sure that the board of trade would enjoy one of the greatest years in its history.

The Aeolian quartette, which rendered several selections, was heartily applauded. They contributed much toward the success of one of the best annual meetings ever held by the board of trade.

The committee in charge of the arrangements, which was so admirably carried out, comprised the following: John C. Bauer, John McMillan and J. D. Bridges. It was unanimously conceded by those present that it was the most successful meeting ever held by the board.

and finally goes out, leaving the seller with a conglomerate pile, somewhat the worse from such handling and only to go back in its place again.

## COUGHED NIGHT AND DAY

We want the people of Portsmouth to know that all letters like the following are truthful and genuine:

Towanda, Pa. "I took a little orphan boy to live with me and last Christmas he contracted a hard cold which developed into bronchitis. He was very ill and a bad cough set in so that he coughed night and day. After trying everything, nothing seemed to do him any good, until along in February I got a bottle of Vinol. After using half the bottle his cough began to improve, and two bottles entirely cured his bronchitis and he gained in weight so that he doesn't look like the same child."

Harry A. Stephenson, Towanda, Pa.

The reason that cough syrups fail in such cases is because they are palliative only, while Vinol removes the cause, being a constitutional remedy in which are combined beef and cod liver peptones, iron and manganese peptones and glycerophosphates. It strengthens and revitalizes the entire system and assists nature to expel the disease.

Frank Amann, Druggist, The Fisher & Strain Pharmacy, Portsmouth, also at the leading drug store in all Ohio towns,

Read Barnoy's ad on page 2, 11



# Gifts Galore for Men!



There will be no doubt as to his real feelings when unboxing a choice cravat, silk hose, silk shirt or anything which comes from this store.

Our store is just chuck full of everything that appeals to the heart of man. Gloves in smartest winter styles, real linen handkerchiefs, monogramed or plain and shirts he'll be proud to wear.

Come in and look over the elaborate variety of designs and colors of our neckwear that will credit you with fine selection.

The time is growing short and it would be wise to attend to your Christmas shopping now.

All articles boxed in artistic boxes if desired without extra charge.



# Geo. W. Ahrend

"APPAREL OF CLASS"

503 Chillicothe St. Haberdasher



# WHY NOT???

## —MAKE USEFUL XMAS PRESENTS?

In these days of I C U why not be sensible and give such presents that will be useful to your friends, something that they will appreciate and possibly need now or later on.

## DON'T BE PRUDISH

and imagine your friends won't appreciate a useful present. There's as much sense in giving a friend a gallon of gasoline who hasn't a car as to give some things that are given.

FOR THE LADIES: Shoes of all kinds, House Slippers, Party Slippers, Silk Hose, Rubbers. FOR THE CHILDREN: Shoes, Rubber Boots, Slippers. FOR THE MEN: Dress Shoes, Work Shoes, Felt and Leather Slippers, Silk Socks.

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# KEEP IT HANDY



## FOR IT'S DANDY

Our vintage wines and liquors cap the climax of top notch quality. Purity, perfect distilling and finest grains go into our matchless whiskies. Imported whiskies of perfect blends.

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## 5c Exhibit Tonight 5c

"THE HALF BREED'S PATRED" part 11 "THE YELLOW MENACE" Ford Animated Weekly; Pathe comedy

## 5c Strand Tonight 5c

"THE CHEATERS," 3 reel Gold Seal drama featuring Mary Fuller "ROOM RENT AND ROMANCE," Victor comedy

## ARCANA THEATRE Tonight!

Red Feather Production in Five Reels "BARRIER OF SOCIETY" 5 Reels 5 Cents

## TEMPLE THEATER Tonight

"A MAN IN THE WILDERNESS," 2 reel Essnany drama "BY MAN'S LAW," 2 reel Bison drama "SIS, THE DETECTIVE," 5 reel Hopkins comic



# Here's an Advertisement of Gifts for "Him"

Christmas and the Holidays are at hand and our store is again headquarters for appropriate and lasting gifts at prices which really represent money saving. It is certainly to your advantage to make your selections now while our big stock contains such a wide and complete range of suitable presents. The next 30 days will be busy ones with this store. Accept our advice and make your choice now for delivery later on.

## HERE'S THE PLACE FOR FURNISHINGS

IN this popular department you will find a large selection of merchandise at economical prices. Father, son, brother, uncle or cousin, each will be delighted with anything you select here. Look over the stock today while it is complete.

Collars, cuffs, cuff buttons and jewelry, collar boxes, mercerized and silk umbrellas with plain or fancy handles.

Our assortment of special Xmas and holiday boxes are complete and we can arrange to sell you almost every item in special boxes.

## SHOP EARLY

### HEADQUARTERS FOR HATS AND CAPS

YOU can always put it down as a safe selection that a smart styled hat or cap will be appreciated. In presenting your relatives or friends with a hat or cap, it is advisable that you select one that harmonizes with their clothes. Our salesman will see to it that the proper choice is made.

Our Christmas hat and cap showing contains all the latest styles of the best quality and color.

Stiff and soft hats... \$2.00 to \$3.50  
Caps... 50c to \$5.00

### UNDERWEAR

EXPERIENCE shows that wearing apparel is about the most substantial Christmas gift of all, and included should be guaranteed, durable underwear.

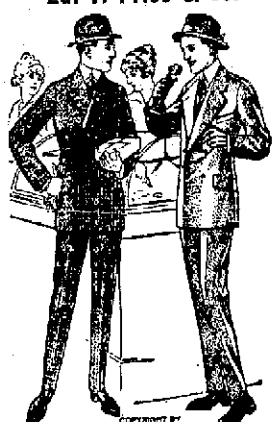
Our underwear department contains only the very best makes from the leading mills.

Single garments... 50c to \$1.50  
Union suits... \$1.00 to \$3.00

## SPECIAL BOXES OF XMAS HOSIERY

IF you don't know what else to get for father, or brother, you'll always guess right if you buy him a box of fancy black hose in fine cotton, mercerized hosiery or silk—25c and up.

Have Us Order Your Xmas Suit and Overcoat from our Chicago tailors Ed. V. Price & Co.



tee delivery before Christmas.

## CLASSY CHRISTMAS NECKWEAR

IF you admire pretty patterns and distinctive designs in neckwear, you'll surely find our showing unexcelled.

Four-in-hand and bow ties 25c to \$1.00



### SELECT YOUR OWN STYLE TODAY!

THERE is not a man in the town but what can find the very style and pattern for a suit or overcoat that he will appreciate and enjoy—providing he makes his selection from the unsurpassed display of our famous Chicago tailors. By leaving your measure TODAY we can guarantee Prices are reasonable.

## BATH ROBES

IF you want to make him smile give him a bath robe. Price \$5.00

## SWEATER COATS

SWEATERS in all the newest colors and weaves from \$1.00 to \$6.00.

## SHOP EARLY

### TRAVELING BAGS AND SUIT CASES

HERE are two items which in recent years have become very popular as Christmas gifts, and it is a fact that the dependable quality of our suit cases and valises cause the giver to be long remembered on account of satisfaction these gifts afford.

Our Christmas line of suit cases and traveling bags are unusually attractive this year and truly worthy of your consideration.

Fine suit cases... \$1.00 to \$7.50  
Fine all leather traveling bags from... \$5.00 to \$10.00

## SHIRTS

CHRISTMAS and the social season suggest new shirts as an appropriate gift for any gentleman. Good taste is expressed in such a valuable gift. Our shirt department is showing all of the popular patterns and designs of the season. Find out his size and let us show you what a little money will do.

# J. W. RUSSELL

505 CHILLICOTHE STREET

### Damage Suit May Result

It is understood that, through his attorney, L. R. Andrews, Charles Collett, editor of the Ironton News, who was assaulted by A. W. Abele, insurance agent, will file suit against his assailant for damages, and that Abele will be arrested on a charge of assault and battery, says the Ironton Irononian Friday morning. There were no developments in the case Thursday, except that Collett retained Attorney Andrews to look after his interests.

### R. L. Willis Being Held

Although London, O., authorities telegraphed that they would send someone after R. L. Willis, alias Carr, alias Holland, whom R. E. Hughes, a young farmer of that place, caused to be arrested on a charge of stealing his motorcycle, no officer had yet arrived from that town Friday.

## Alsbaugh

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## SUN

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A tuneful musical comedy with a singing and dancing whirlwind of girls.

Matinee Daily 2:30 10c any seat.  
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Sun Orchestra every night

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Cameras.  
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## NEW SCHEDULE

## C. O. RAILWAY

Effective Sunday, Dec. 10th

West Bound

No. 5 Chicago Daily 5:35 A. M.  
No. 17 Local Ex. Sun. 7:24 A. M.  
No. 1 Cincinnati daily 8:49 A. M.  
No. 3 Cincinnati daily 2:10 P. M.  
No. 7 Local Daily... 2:45 P. M.  
East Bound  
No. 6 New York Daily 10:47 A. M.  
No. 8 Huntington daily 11:45 A. M.  
No. 2 New York daily 2:57 P. M.  
No. 16 Huntington Ex. Sunday  
day... 7:10 P. M.  
No. 4 Washington daily 12:30 night

Steamer Chesapeake leaves foot of Market St. 30 minutes prior to departure of trains.

Call 18 C. & O. office, 202 Chillicothe St. for further information.

D. A. GRIMES, Agt.

## LEGAL NOTICE

Alfred Napier a minor eight (8) years of age, and Henry Napier, his father, who he resides at No. 220 West Third Avenue, Williamsport, Adams County, Pa., will take notice that on the 20th day of September, 1916, The Citizens' Saving & Loan Association Company, Inc., as plaintiff in the Court of Common Pleas of Adams County, Ohio, in Case No. 1227, against the above named parties, and others, praying for the foreclosure of a mortgage upon the premises, and for the sale of the same, with interest thereon, and for the payment of the balance of \$102.25 was due on the 27th day of September, 1916, with interest thereon at the rate of 6 per cent per annum, payable in weekly installments, with arrears due and owing, and for the recovery of its principal.

Said minor defendant, Alfred Napier, is required to appear in said court on or before the 30th day of January, 1917, to defend his interest in said premises, and to show cause why he should not be sold in said partition.

THE CITIZENS' SAVING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION COMPANY, Inc., Plaintiff.

Attorney for Plaintiff.

# Lecture On Christian Science Heard By Splendid Audience

A splendid audience greeted Edward A. Merritt, C. S. B., a member of the Board of Lectureship of the Mother Church, the First Church of Christ, Scientists of Boston, Mass., and whose home is in Cleveland when he delivered a lecture in the Elks' hall Thursday night.

## Mrs. Isaac Hall Of Route No. One Pays Tribute

Wants to Tell Others About the Wonders Wrought by Nerv-Worth.

This desire to hand the good news along is characteristic of the gratitude which fills the hearts of Nerv-Worth users. Mrs. Hall expresses her desire in the following entirely new signed statement:

Fisher & Streich Pharmacy: I purchased one bottle of Nerv-Worth at your store for stomach trouble, nervousness, sleeplessness and after taking half of it I am so much improved I want to recommend it to others.

(Mrs.) ISAAC HALL, Portsmouth, O., Rt. 1.

Your dollar back at the Fisher & Streich Pharmacy if Nerv-Worth does not benefit YOU. Sample doses freely dispensed.

First Church of Christ, Scientists of Boston, Mass., and whose home is in Cleveland when he delivered a lecture in the Elks' hall Thursday night.

Mr. Merritt, who was one of the best speakers heard in this city in a long time was introduced by Attorney William Gustin.

The speaker in part said:

The application of science to religion is no doubt the most vital accomplishment in the progress of mankind. Materialism and humanity for many centuries groping in the dark, is through false concepts of Christianity, the derelict influence and control of Emperor Constantine has power to heal the sick by spiritual means, which have been present in the primitive church for three hundred years, was lost. Reconstituted with its former and beneficent tendency to exalt and perpetuate personal worship, and material power and influence were responsible. Centuries elapsed before Christianity could regain the eternal spiritual power which its founder had provided.

"Religion, according to the popular view, may be defined as the acts and forms through which men express their concepts of God and seek to commune with Him. Men and women may be faithful to their religious beliefs,

## WOMEN WHO SUFFER INTENSE PAIN

Find Quick Relief From An Application of Rubefacine—It's Worth Its Weight In Gold.

The sufferings of women cannot be adequately described. Many women continue to suffer from pain and misery which can be relieved by the application of Rubefacine. This is a powerful and effective remedy for all kinds of pain, including menstrual pain, rheumatism, neuralgia, and other conditions. It is a natural product and is safe for use by women. It is available in small packets for home use. It is a true blessing for women who suffer from intense pain.

certain relationship to each other, whatever rests upon and proceeds from divine principle." (Science preaching, Is not this what Health, p. 583).

"Christianity must express—the interpretation of the first record of error, found in the first chapter of Genesis, and unites all of its conclusions upon the premise of this record,—that God is the 'great First Cause' of all that is real and eternal. By this premise, divine Science reveals that God is one and supreme, the all-inclusive entity, and according to St. John, this one gave his promise that those who seek and find 'the Father' he came to unfold to human understanding, shall do the works which he did, and even greater works.

"Christian Science in its operation is always constructive. Its warfare is waged against false systems, but never against persons.

"The message of healing which Christian Science brings to the world will be more fully understood and helpful to us when we learn something of its discovery and its Discoverer. In the year 1846 Christian Science was discovered by Mary Baker Eddy. Her discovery was unique in the annals of religious history. It involved spiritual or mind healing, and gave to humanity the promise of health and joy. It heralds to the world a practical, scientific and demonstrable Christianity, restoring to you and to me our high right of dominion as sons of God.

"The Church of Christ, Scientists, was established for the purpose of presenting to the world in an orderly and authoritative manner the teachings of this Science. It is interesting to note that Christian Science defines church as 'the structure of truth and love; Science includes all science, and is ing."



Useful Gifts are a reminder  
of the giver every time  
they are used.

WHERE WOMEN GO

# The ATLAS Co.

406 CHILlicothe ST.

This store at present is re-  
plete with useful Christ-  
mas suggestions.

Make up your Christmas list and bring it to the store; it will save you mental wear and tear that sometimes comes from Christmas shopping. We offer a few suggestions in the way of wearing apparel.

## Beautiful Christmas Gift Is A Waist

There is hardly any woman who can not use one waist more.

**Crepe de Chine Waists**—A most complete assortment in all colors, some with frills, large collars, put up in Christmas box if you wish.

Prices \$1.98 to \$5.98

**Lace Waists** for dressy occasions, afternoon or evening, a beautiful assortment, all the newest ideas, priced unusually low at

\$2.50 to \$4.98

**Georgette Waists**—New arrivals for the holidays, very good looking styles, excellent quality at same old prices.

\$3.50 to \$5.98

**Lingerie Waists**—We show the largest assortment at same old prices. Embroidery or lace trimmed. New ideas every week; the holiday shipment just received.

Prices 98c to \$3.25



## Why Not Give Her A Petticoat For Christmas

New "Fibrite" Petticoats come to us every month and it is the arrival of December makes we now want to show you. They are made of best quality Silk Taffeta. They fit as if cut to measure, the patent adjustment makes it so.

Prices \$2.98 to \$5.98

## Cloth or Plush Coat Would Please Her Immensely

In spite of high prices we are still showing coats at remarkable low prices in cloth, all the favored materials in solid colors and checks.

\$9.95 up to \$35.00

Silk Plushes 18.50 up to \$32.50

## Umbrellas For Men, Women and Children

You can make no mistake in selecting an umbrella. It is always in season, rain or shine. All our umbrellas are made on paragon frame, fast color materials in silk and cotton.

## Ideal Christmas Gift Is A Set of Furs

The practicability of giving furs is most appealing, whether a set of furs or a muff or a fur collar. We have something that will please you. No matter how good or how modest your requirement may be.

Black Coney Fur Collars 98c to \$1.50

Separate Black or Brown Muffs... \$2.50 to \$12.50

Chicken Wolf Sets... \$4.98

Black Coney Sets... \$5.98

Red Fox Sets... \$22.50

Grey Fox Sets... \$12.50

Tiger Sets... \$8.50

Jap Mink Sets... \$15.00

Mole Sets... \$35.00

Eastern Mink Sets... \$95.00

Eastern Mink Sets... \$150.00

## See Our Stock and Learn Our Prices

Children's Umbrellas, 22 and 24 inch fast black

59c AND 75c

Ladies' and Men's fast black neat handle umbrellas, 26 and 28 inch, the best ever... 98c

Fancy combination pearl and gold in silver handle umbrellas, bright and pretty, good rainproof cover. Unusual good \$2.00 values special

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New Gloria Silk or Silk Taffeta Umbrellas for men and women, all neat, new style handles; some with white stripe border handles and cords to match from

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Unbreakable Dolls at 25c, 50c and \$1.00

Black Ebonid Shaving Sets, a very appreciative gift, silver trimmed, 98c, \$1.25 and \$1.50

Silver trimmed Ebony Finish Military Set, including hat and clothes brush, a real \$2.50 value for only

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A 7-piece Toilet Set, silver trimmed, consisting of mirror, brush, comb and manicure outfit, in neatly lined box; \$3.00 value for

\$2.25

Handsome Toilet Set, silver trimmed, comb, brush and mirror, put up in neatly lined box, for only

\$1.00

Buster Brown Silk Hose, in black or white, the best you ever bought per pair

50c

Men's and Boys' fleece lined pajamas, splendid quality, usual \$1.25 values, special for

98c

Special showing of fancy Kensington or sewing aprons, lace and ribbon trimmed, unusual good value at

50c

Splendid line of white and colored fancy aprons, worth from 19 to 50c, from

10c to 39c

Leather Bags at all prices but we offer a special bag, duplex safety lock. Worth \$1.50; see it, for only

98c

Music Rolls, splendid quality; they will surprise you at the price, only

50c

New Bungalow Aprons, the good kind that we are noted for. They are now worth 75c, but our price for Saturday, dark and light patterns

50c

Silk lined Silk Gloves; these are double silk gloves recommended for service and warm; as good as you ever bought, for only

\$1.00

Handkerchiefs and collars of all descriptions from the cheapest to the best any price you have in your mind to pay.

Knit Scarfs for men or women, all the new things

50c to \$1.50

Skating Sets of all descriptions for women and children. Last year's experience was they were scarce towards the last. This year they will be even worse. Come early while selection is good. Sweaters for all men, women and children, all kinds from

50c to \$7.50 each

The Atlas Co.

## BUYS BIG FARM

Alan N. Jordan, proprietor of The Washington Hotel, added to his valuable property holdings Thursday afternoon when he purchased the Ben, King farm, located just above Fullerton, Ky., and directly opposite the vast plant of the Whitaker-Glossner company.

The farm includes 50 acres of bottom land and 125 acres of level ground above the 1913 flood. Mr. Jordan bought the property as an investment and the price paid was \$26,165. He eventually expects to open a new addition in it.

The property was sold at a public sale held in Greenup yesterday. It was conducted by Master Commissioner A. V. Pollock. There were two other bidders, aside from Mr. Jordan, whose first bid was \$20,000. Dr. G. T. Atkins then bid above this sum, but Mr. Jordan did not stop at these figures and the farm was finally "knocked down" to him at \$26,165.

The King farm has long been considered one of the most valuable tracts of land in Greenup county, Kentucky.

TRY THIS TO BANISH ALL RHEUMATIC PAINS

People who have been tormented for years—yes, even so crippled that they were unable to help themselves—have been brought back to robust health through the mighty power of Rheuma. Rheuma acts with speed; it brings in a few days the relief you have prayed for. It antagonizes the poisons that cause agony and pain in the joints and muscles and quickly the torturing soreness completely disappears. It is a harmless remedy, but sure and certain, because it is on discovery that has forced rheumatism and sciatica to yield and disappear. Try a 50-cent bottle of Rheuma, and if you do not get the joyful relief you expect, your money will be returned. Wurster Bros. always have a supply of Rheuma and guarantee it to you.

## Address Is Postponed

The address on "Physics," to have been given in the N. & W. Y. M. C. A. tonight, has been postponed until Friday, December 15.

## Sheriff Gets Writ

Trouton, Dec. 8.—The writ of mandamus from the supreme court, ordering City Auditor Percy W. Dean to sign the \$375,000 water works bonds issue forthwith, was received by Sheriff Glenn Sloan Thursday. Mr. Dean was out of the city Thursday and the sheriff was unable to serve the writ on him, but will do so at the earliest possible moment.

## Get Your Rent Money

City Auditor L. A. Zucker announces that persons having rent money due them from the city for the use of property for recent election purposes may secure the same now by calling at his office.

## This Toledo Mother Treats Her Children's Colds "Externally"

Mrs. Chas. Cook Finds the "Outside" Application, VapoRub Better than Internal Dosing.

Mothers who are faced with the problem of treating children's colds without disturbing their digestion will be interested in the experience of Mrs. Chas. Cook, 134 Bay Street, Toledo, Ohio, who writes: "I consider Vick's VapoRub the best medicine I have ever found for winter use, especially for children. It will not blister or burn, so the children don't dislike it, and

it is better than internal medicine in many ways. When I first tried Vick's my little girl had had an awful cold and cough for some time. I used part of a jar on her and it gave great relief. During the winter I used two more large jars on my three children and also on the grown folks of our family, and found it fine for colds in the throat, head and lungs. In cases of hoarseness or croup I would just rub a little Vick's over throat and chest, and cover with a warm flannel cloth, and also have them swallow a little piece, the size of a bean rolled in sugar." Three sizes, 25c, 50c or \$1.00.

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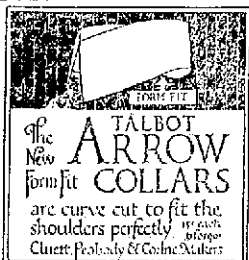
511 Second St.

## Massie Lodge Elects Officers And Then Hears Fine Program

Members of Massie Lodge No. 115, when officers for the ensuing year were elected and an open meeting of Pythians enjoyed the best of the year Thursday evening. A very entertaining

Oscar Seth made a short address of welcome, in which he wished all a pleasant evening. After a selection by the orchestra, Chairman Seth introduced the speaker of the evening, Fred A. Ross, of Trouton, a well-known lawyer of Lawrence county. Mr. Ross is no stranger to Portsmouth Pythians as he spoke here on one other occasion. He is one of Trouton's most able speakers. He is a member of the Trouton school board and has held several city and county clerkships. Mr. Ross is past chancellor of Myrtle Lodge No. 27, K. of P., of Trouton. He is an only brother of Mrs. Isabelle Thomas, of this city. "Pythianism and the Home" was the subject on which Mr. Ross spoke and covered every phase of Pythianism. He spoke of Pythians as home builders and home protectors. He dwelt for some time on this beneficial phase of Pythianism. In concluding his talk he told of the Pythian Home for Orphans and Pythian Home for the Aged in Springfield, O. As an orator Mr. Ross ranks among the best.

Miss Staiger rendered "Come to the Garden Love," and as an encore sang "The Star." Chairman Seth then called upon Member Max Lehman, of the order, who made a short and witty talk, that put the crowd in a good humor to receive the refreshments.



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Have you tried the wonder-tonic, RA-GUL, for rheumatism, lumbago, impure blood, torpid liver, inactive kidneys and nervousness? To convince sufferers of the merit of RA-GUL, we will for a brief time send one \$1 box for 40 cents, or 3 boxes for \$1, postage prepaid, by remittance to the RA-GUL MEDICINE CO., Baton, O.

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# CANTER

has made through future buying approximately \$2,000. These goods were purchased last winter before the seed was planted at a third less than the present market price. This great saving will be given our customers in these purchases. Canter's Quality Bread is Union Baked, in a clean, sanitary, daylight shop.

## Notice These Prices For Saturday

**Big White Lady Washington Beans** 5 pounds ..... 65c  
Far superior to any Navy Bean.  
Not over 5 pounds to one customer.

**TOMATOES**  
Solid pack, large No. 3 can full, 2 cans for ..... 25c  
These tomatoes are actually worth 18c per can.

### Jumbo Bananas 18c Dozen

Sweet Florida Oranges 21c and 25c per dozen	Malaga Grapes 21c lb.	Large Grape Fruit this special 3 for 24c
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### MILLBROOK COFFEE Roasted Daily 28c per lb.

Just received from the country, fine, large, healthy chickens, per pound ..... 18c  
Genuine Cape Cod Cranberries 2 quarts for ..... 24c  
Sold elsewhere at 35c.

### Hebe Brand Milk Product 6 Cans 23c

Fresh Oysters only 43c quart	Cocoanuts 3 large ones for 25c	Mince Meat 4 pkgs. 28c. The very best	Sunbrite Cleanser 3c can	60c tea, down goes price for Saturday 48c pound
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### A Pound of Pepper Worth 50c For 28c Per Pound

<b>LEADER FLOUR</b> \$1.19 per sack First grade	Canter's Bread bears the Union Label. Made in a clean, sanitary, daylight shop.	This sale starts Friday as soon as the paper reaches you, phone us your order at once. We will only deliver orders to Portsmouth that are in our store before 11 o'clock Saturday morning. Otherwise you will have to wait until Monday. We have to do this so you won't be disappointed owing to our heavy business.
Pure Lard 87c per 5 lb. pail	Fresh Bakery Goods Quality Bread 3 loaves . . 10c Doughnuts 3 dozen for 29c Cookies . . . 10c per dozen	Pennant Crackers, fresh from the ovens 10c pound Come to the store for these. We do not deliver them
Red Bird Oats 3 packages for 23c	35c Layer Cakes . . 23c each Hot Buns, per dozen . . 10c	

Guaranteed Strickly Fresh **Eggs 38½c** Not over two dozen to a customer. We do not deliver eggs at this price. Come to the store.

Hotel and restaurant trade take notice! 10 pounds of Millbrook Coffee ..... \$2.45

New Boston **Canter's** New Boston  
Phone 300 Phone 300

## Firemen Will Celebrate

City firemen are preparing to celebrate the motorization of Portsmouth's fire department with a banquet, the date of which has not as yet been determined. Besides local officials, the mayors and chiefs of police and fire departments of Ironton, Ashland and Huntington will be the invited guests of the firemen. Safety Director E. K. S. Clark, enheartened Thursday that he, Harvey Wood, is a railroad man and expected the remaining pieces of motor fire apparatus to arrive here from Columbus next Monday or Tuesday.

**ASTHMA SUFFERER**  
Write today, I will tell you, free of charge, of a simple home treatment for asthma which cured me after physicians and change of climate failed. I am so grateful for my present good health, after years of suffering, that I want everyone to know of this wonderful treatment. Mrs. Nellie Evans, 6-2, Des Moines, Iowa.

**KITCHEN CABINETS**  
\$14.00 up to \$18.00  
Thirty-one samples to select from. Come, we can suit you.  
**ALSPAUGH**

## PLACES BOUNTY ON RAT TAILS

Here's a chance for Portsmouth "kiddies" to earn some easy Christmas money. Leo Sommer, of the hardware firm of Sommer Bros., has declared war on rats and expects to wage a vigorous campaign against them. Mr. Sommer hopes to interest Young Americans in doing the fighting for him. He is out with an offer to pay one cent for every rat tail brought to him from now until New Year's day. Mr. Sommer is an avowed enemy of the rodent, which he says does untold damage the year round and is eager to begin his warfare, that he is not placing any restrictions as to where the boys should do their killing, garbage dumps or anywhere they may choose.

**Constipation**  
Biliousness-Headache  
**Dr. Chase's Liver Tablets**  
Take the Liver Tablets regularly, without regard to meals, before or after meals, and after meals. They will cleanse the bowels, regulate the stomach, and give you a healthy, happy life. Large box, enough to last a month, 25c. Dr. Chase Co., 211 N. 12th St., Philadelphia, Pa.

When you lose something leave to TIMES WANT ADS to find it.

## SUNDAY SCHOOL.

Lesson XI.—Fourth Quarter, For Dec. 10, 1916.

### THE INTERNATIONAL SERIES.

Text of the Lesson, Rev. ii, 1-17—Memory Verse, 7—Golden Text, Rev. ii, 10. Commentary Prepared by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

Although three of the seven epistles are included in this lesson, we must try to consider somewhat the whole seven, for they are the last messages from the risen and ascended Saviour to His church on earth, perhaps some sixty years, as we count time, after He ascended, and contain His heart messages concerning that which He approves or disapproves. These seven churches represented all the churches of that time and now and between then and now, and as individual believers we must try to hear the lessons, the warnings, admonitions and encouragements for our personal use in our daily life.

I have found it helpful, and many others also, to write down these love letters in seven parallel, vertical columns on a large sheet of paper, placing opposite to each, horizontally, like matter in each epistle, beginning each column with the greeting to the church; then His titles, which are different in each; at the foot of each column the promise to the overcomer, which is also different in each, and then the admonition, "He that hath an ear let him hear what the Spirit saith unto the churches," which in the first three comes before the overcoming promise and in the last four follows it. The words of comfort and encouragement and warning and admonition come in between these first two and last two items. Let us pray to know Him more intimately as He reveals Himself to each church according to their need. He holdeth the messengers to each church in His right hand and walks in the midst of the churches (chapters i, 13, 20; ii, 1).

This helps me personally, for I am glad to be in His hand and for His pleasure, and I am always reminding my own people and the Bible classes that He is in our midst, according to Matt. xxiii, 20, and we must sing and pray and meditate and worship with an ordering, as if we really saw Him in our midst. To Smyrna He was the first and last, who was dead, but now alive (chapter i, 17, 18; ii, 8). This was what they specially needed, for they were being persecuted unto death (ii, 10), and their overcoming promise was that the second death, which is the lake of fire, would never touch them (ii, 11; xx, 14). To Pergamos He was the one who had the sharp sword with two edges (ii, 12), and because of evil teachers tolerated there this was as they needed to know Him. He encouraged the Ephesians to think of the tree of life in paradise, and He would have these to eat real manna now, true bread from heaven, and think of the hidden manna, the white stone, and the new name reserved for them (ii, 7, 17).

To Thyatira He was the Son of God, with eyes like unto a flame of fire, and His feet like fine brass (ii, 18, 19). They, too, had false teachers, and much of the world, and knew something of the depths of Satan, but their encouragement to be overcomers was most wonderful and unthinkable if He had not said it—power over the nations, such as the Father had given Him, and Himself as the morning star (ii, 20-28; Ps. lxxviii, 6; Rev. xxi, 10). What glorious things to win us wholly to Himself during this little while of temptation! To Sardis He was the one who had the seven Spirits of God and the seven stars (ii, 1, 10; iii, 1), for they had dead ones there who had only a name to live and needed the quickening of the Spirit. Their promise was that of white raiment, named in the book of life and confessed before God and the angels if they should prove themselves overcomers (iii, 5).

To Philadelphia He was the Holy and True One, having the key of David, opening and shutting at pleasure, and the encouragement to overcome was that of being a pillar in the temple of God, with the name of God, and the city of God, the New Jerusalem coming down out of heaven from God, and His own new name (iii, 7, 12). There is a special promise here concerning being kept from the hour of temptation which (iii, 10), which may include our being taken away before the great tribulation. That we shall be taken before that awful time is sure.

To Laodicea He was the Amen, the faithful and true witness, the beginning of the creation of God, and to this worst phase of church life, or lack of life, the promise to the overcomer was the greatest of all, to sit with Him in His throne (iii, 14, 21). It looks as if the greater the need and the lower their condition the greater was His desire to lift them out of it. Only in this epistle do we find Him asking for an open door to our hearts that He may enter in and sup with us (iii, 20). He and the devil are both looking for open doors (John xiii, 2, 27). Whom will you have?

Notice in the Golden Text that there is no mention of eternal life which cannot in any way be worked for, or earned, or bought, but can only be obtained as a free gift (John vi, 23). But the crown of life there mentioned is a special reward for all saved ones who patiently endure. See also Jas. i, 12. These are the only two places.

**Shipped to Huntington**  
The household effects of C. C. Bridwell were shipped to his future home in Huntington, W. Va., by L. C. Peck & Co., Thursday. Mr. Bridwell has started a new glove factory in that city.

**Back From St. Louis**  
Capt. Frank White has returned from St. Louis, where he was previously called by the death of his brother, the late Commodore Charles White, for many years a highly esteemed citizen of this city.

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## Light New Bridge

The handsome new Scioto river bridge in the West End was lighted for the first time Thursday evening. Many automobile parties visited the bridge and inspected the brilliantly lighted structure. Everyone who visited it was well pleased with the new system of lighting.

Already there is a plan launched to continue the lighting effect across the tow path. Alan N. Jordan at the annual banquet of the board of trade Thursday evening, stated that the commissioners were ready to consider the project.

## Clothes Line Raided

Speak thieves took the most valuable pieces of a family washing off a clothes-line in the rear yard of the home of Edward Ellsesser, an N. & W. boilermaker helper, of No. 2317 Grant street, Thursday evening. Mr. Ellsesser at the time was in a shed on the rear end of the lot and heard someone in the yard, but thought it was his wife. The police were notified.

They found no trace of the stolen clothes.

## DISAGREE

According to reports, Frank Goltz, a drayman, of No. 414 Second street, and his bride of about two months, Mrs. Katie E. Goltz, have agreed to disagree. Differences as to the manner of conducting their household are said to have led to the separation. They have been married before, Mrs. Goltz was formerly the wife of Frank E. Hauck, a foreman in the Irving shoe factory.

**Mr. Marconnet Home**  
Harley Marconnet, who travels for a Cincinnati firm, is home from a seven weeks' successful trip.

**Push Cart Stolen**  
Emerson Carlton, of No. 1511 Webster street, reported to the police Thursday that someone stole his push cart.

## FOR NERVOUSNESS

Mrs. Kate Magill, of Bondickson, Mo., says: "Carnui did me more good than any medicine that I have ever taken or expect to take for nervousness. I had a . . . which completely wrecked my health. . . I thought I was going into consumption, my friends thought so. When those spells would come on I would feel like I was going to die, my hands and feet would get cold. . . This condition lasted four months. Then I began to take CARNUI. Before I had taken four bottles I felt I would never have another of those spells; but I kept on until I had taken two bottles because I wanted to be completely cured. I am so glad I can write these few words. . . that some lady may be benefited by this great medicine the same as I have. . . Try."

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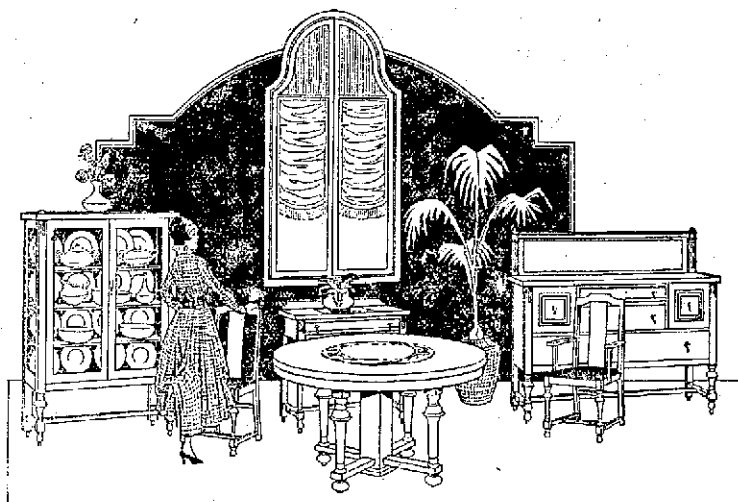


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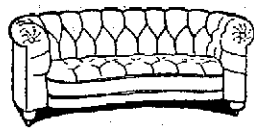


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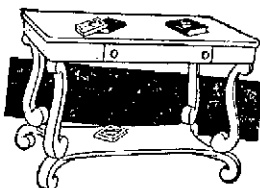


A large assortment of Dining Room Suits in colonial period styles in mahogany, Old English, fumed oak, American walnut and golden oak, in prices ranging from \$76.50 and up.

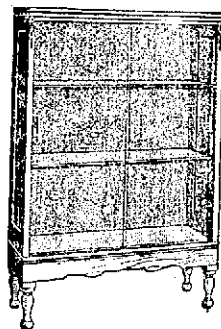


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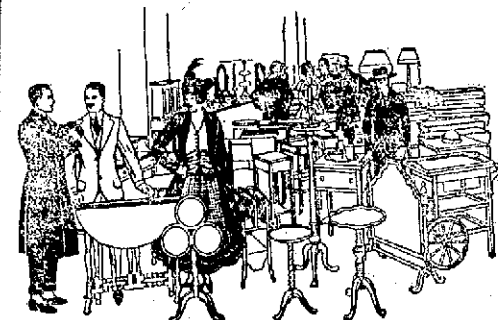


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Something to suit the most fastidious taste in ornamental furniture; tea wagons, serving tables, smoking stands, candlesticks, gas and electric lamps and other serviceable pieces of furniture at attractive prices.

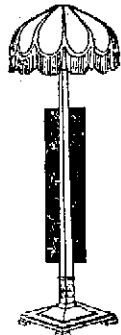
Note the joy of mother in finding a Cedar Chest under the Xmas tree. It spells death to the moths. It means preservation of furs and woollens. You can buy one at the price of \$10 to \$25.



Mahogany Smoking Stands, like cut, \$1.50



Candlesticks in great varieties from \$1 and up



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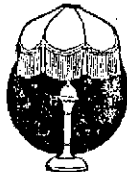


Table Lamps for gas and electric in mahogany and metal stands with art glass and silk shades, a fine Xmas gift, from \$3.50 and up.



Music and Record Cabinets in oak, mahogany and walnut, at prices ranging from \$7.50 and up.



Chair and Rocker built for comfort, in tapestry from \$14 and up



Children's Chairs and Rockers of all descriptions  
**from 50c and up**

## TOY - DEPARTMENT

Our Christmas toy department is complete in every particular; it comprises furniture, Irish Mails, automobiles, velocipedes, doll carts, wagons, chairs and rockers, building erectors, toy garages, printing sets, German dolls, character dolls, Teddy Bears and numerous other playthings to gladden the hearts of the little ones and to make Christmas a pleasure.

It will pay you to come early and to make your selection. Our assortment is good and prices are right.

Bring in your pictures for framing—our frame shop is most complete.

## Toy Special For Saturday!

Five hundred German dolls, good size, stylishly dressed, movable arms and legs, blondes and brunettes, healthy red cheeks; they wink with their eyes, their hair is curly and attractive; under present conditions they are fully worth one dollar each, our special price.

**49c**

**200 Character Dolls dressed blue and pink \$1.00 Value for 49c**

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### MR. KINSEY ACTIVE IN CAMPAIGN

H. E. Kinsey, local Boy Scout speaker on "Guiding the Youth Through the Danger Zone," at a gathering held at the Y. M. C. A. chapel. Friday evening Mr. Kinsey will render several musical selections at a

big meeting to be held at the chapel. He will also speak about "Community Service As It Relates to the Boys," before returning home.

Mrs. Charles Cooper, widow of an aged Nile township farmer, who died of paralysis recently, and who at the time was herself dangerously ill, is now reported as recovering.

### Inspects Branch

Mr. Clark Waller, of McDermott, left today for Bowling Green, Ky., where he will spend several days inspecting the operation of the branch

quarry of the Waller Bros. Stone Co., located in that district.

### THEATRICAL

At The Sun  
The Girls from Loveland Musical Comedy company will offer a complete change of program tonight at The Sun and during the intermission the Country Store presents will be

given away. This feature has become very popular and the list of presents for tonight will contain many useful ones. There are daily matinees at 2:30. Evening shows at 7:30 and 8:45.

First quality work at reasonable prices. Breimer, the Painter.

### Employees To Get Increase

Ashland, Ky., Dec. 8.—It is understood that the Norton Iron company will grant all their employees a ten per cent increase in wages, effective December 15. The

increase is a voluntary one and is made in appreciation of the loyalty of the men and the realization of the high cost of living.

Leaves Hospital  
Kenneth Finger, of Twelfth street, who recently underwent an operation for appendicitis, was able to leave the Hempstead hospital Thursday.



## The Portsmouth Daily Times

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## THE FUTURE PROMISE

A New York financial writer of national repute, reviewing present conditions and the outlook for the future, observes that the giving out of \$45,000 in naval construction contracts, this week, the immense orders being filed by railroads for rails, locomotive cars and materials of every kind that railways need, the vastness of the automobile demands, the expansion and extension of electric construction work, the great boom in mining of all minerals, the continuing demand for machinery of every class and kind, the very noticeable activity in all agricultural districts in way of preparation for large areas of cultivation, with more intensive farming—these all contribute to the huge business which is now perceived will be recorded in 1917.

We take the one dominating figure in all this to be the spurring on to bigger and better farming. This country has millions of acres that have never been "tinkled by the plow," it has far more millions of acres the productive of which can be increased anywhere from 25 to 100 percent. Steady, substantial progress is being made to this end. With the incentive of prices that promise more than comfort this development will take on increased and even rapid acceleration. We see evidences of it here in Scioto county. Old as it is in settlement it is not unusual to see new tracts being cleared and prepared for cultivation while every year her farmers are learning more and more about farming and putting their learning into practice. No saying is more common than that all wealth comes from the soil and a truth not so generally repeated is that the prosperity, which is built upon a highly developed rural population is the steadiest and most solid of all.

The writer referred to also notes that uneasiness as to conditions to follow the war has practically vanished. It is not likely hostilities will come to a climax for many months yet and when they do come it is realized that Europe must continue to be a larger buyer here for a period of years. The process of rehabilitation over there, the resumption of industrial activity to a point where production will exceed her own demands is going to be necessarily hard and tedious and it will be a long time before she will be able to compete with America on anything like even terms.

If this thing keeps up it will not be necessary for the Republicans to hold a primary in the year of grace 1918. D. Willard Gastin has now laid claim to the prosecuting attorneyship and Russell Becker is packing the county treasurer's away in his grip.

There is a tremendous sentiment in the city against the sale of the Children's Home site as building lots. It is felt that the move to take the Home to the country is a wise one, but the people generally feel that the present site should be preserved as a city park. Portsmouth is going to be a big city one of these days and it behooves her to be thinking of breathing spaces for the future.

They had real breakfasts in the days of old Samuel Pepys, and not the kind we get from Battle Creek, Michigan, in these days of scientific living and germs on everything loose. Thus Pepys tells us "this morning Mr. Shelpy and I did eat our breakfast at Mrs. Harpet's (my brother John being with me) upon a cold turkey pie and a goose." Now just imagine that sort of a menu set out in these glorious times. But even in 1659 they had to fight with substitution and adulteration for further on Pepys says, "I took my wife to my cozen, Thomas Pepys, and found them just sat down to dinner which was very good; only the venison pasty was palpable mutton, which was not handsome."

Two whole days have passed by since McElhaney and Sprague burst forth upon the congressional horizon and all is still dark in the vicinity of the Hon. Mark A. Crawford.

Wilson has made another admirable record. He has read to congress the shortest message ever delivered to it.

Mighty fine weather to do Christmas shopping.

Always one fad or another is raging. Now it is censusing. Chicago is taking an egg census. England is counting her potatoes and Boston is figuring on beans.

However, when the football players whose pictures you saw yesterday are dressed up in citizens' clothing, they don't look so much as if they had escaped from somewhere.—Kansas City Star.

In speaking of humane acts let us not forget the case of the Georgia man who has equipped his near-sighted hunting dog with spectacles. The faithful animal can now see the lynchings much better.—Grand Rapids Press.

## A SHORT AND LONG SPRING

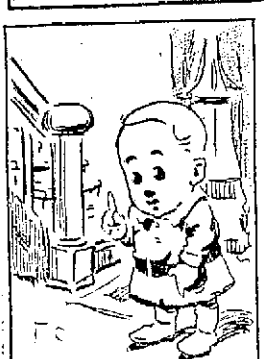
A little girl wrote this composition on men: "Men are what women marry. They drink and smoke and swear, but don't go to church. Perhaps if they were bunnies they would. They are more logical than women and also more zoological. Both men and women spring from monkeys, but the women spring further than the men."

Billy Sunday has definitely decided to begin his campaign in New York next spring, but the Nashville Banner says there is a strong disposition among other sections of the county to let New York go there—now that she isn't pivotal.—Arkansas Gazette

## TRUMPED.



## Koot-Poots



(By J. F. D. and Shonk)

Oh no one would blame a person for grumbling  
When kids through the house go  
racing and tramping  
And yelling and banging the  
doors and the chairs  
And raising old Cain both down  
and upstairs.  
No one likes these things and  
Koot Poots avoid them  
You'll never hear folks say that  
Koot Poots annoyed them.

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## LEGAL NOTICE

Walter Williams, whose last place of residence was 1001 E. 10th St., Toledo, Ohio, County of Lucas, State of Ohio, will take notice that he has been appointed administrator of the estate of William Williams, deceased, and that he has taken the oath of office and qualification as such administrator. All persons having claims against the estate of William Williams, deceased, are hereby notified to present the same to the undersigned administrator within the time prescribed by law. Dated at Toledo, Ohio, this 1st day of December, 1916. WALTER WILLIAMS, Administrator.

## To Take Job In Arcade

E. C. Wallace has resigned his position as chef in the Bismark Cafe, 100 Gallin street, and will enter the employ of Gus Homer next Monday, when the latter opens his new Ardian saloon on Chillicothe street, on Gallin street and will enter the near Fourth.

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A copy of the folder, "The Most General Disease in the World" together with a liberal trial size tube of SENRECO will be mailed you for 4c in stamps. The Sentinel Remedies Co., Inc. Dept. B, Masonic Temple, Cincinnati, Ohio.

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## NEW-YORK-DAY-BY-DAY.

O-O-MEARA.

New York, Dec. 8.—Bide Dudley used to write short stories out in Denver before he came to Gotham. One he wrote had as many thrills as Diamond Jim has jewels. That was years ago. Now go on with the story.

Dudley and a friend were having a midnight meal on Eighth avenue. Two newspapermen at a nearby table were talking. One remarked about a vaudeville skit he had seen the night before on Broadway. Then he began to relate the story in detail.

When he had reached a certain point, Dudley walked over to the table. "Pardon me," he said, "would you mind if I finished the story for you?" It surprised them, but they acquiesced. So Dudley took up the tale.

After he had finished it was admitted that the story ended just like the vaudeville skit. The next night Dudley went to the theatre and saw the playlet. It was the story he had written years ago in Denver. But the trouble was that he did not know in what magazine it had appeared.

He wrote to various editors who knew nothing of it and then he wrote back to his mother in Kansas, who treasures his stories as only a mother can. She found the story in an old trunk and sent it on.

Dudley hunted up the producer, who at first denied it, and then later acknowledged the corn. After several conferences Dudley was given a check for \$500.

I don't know any more about the game of golf than the man who, when asked if he knew about the game, said that he didn't even know which end of the caddy to use. The other day I saw a sign in the window of a department store, which read "Golf House." I wondered if the house is used for serving the tea. All of which is a pretty funny wheeze, but it fills space.

John Philip Sousa believes that the way to wake up the country that preparedness is necessary is to give them the idea in music. Accordingly he has introduced the song, "Wake Up America!" at the Hippodrome at each performance and then has the

audience join in the chorus. The singing can be heard clearly over on Broadway every afternoon and night and at the conclusion, when a big American flag is dropped, many throw their hats away. It is stealing George Cohan's stuff—but they get away with it nicely at the Hip.

There is much speculation as to what will be done if the movies close on Sunday in New York. The argument is made that the better movie theatres could get along without movies. By that it is meant that their large orchestras of 150 pieces bring the crowds.

The Rialto and the Strand are the best. And if they cannot exhibit pictures it may be that they will give Sunday afternoon and evening concerts like the "Kunstal" in Ostend, where a tremendous orchestra gives the best music to capacity audiences.

Music lovers argue that the success of the Rialto and Strand is due to 90 per cent music and 10 per cent pictures.

The Y. M. C. A. has introduced a course in New York on "How to Become a Book Agent"—it seems that statistics show that men who have been successfully selling books make the best type of salesmen in any other line, the idea being that if a young man can go out into the cruel world and sell books his future is absolutely assured. There is one book agent in New York who still carries on from door to door, but is said to be worth a million. He has an average of 6 sales to every ten calls.

Ask my customers about my work. Brehmer, the Painter. 117

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## Doc Kono's COLUMN

You're Scared, That's What You Is

I wouldn't be afraid like you, Always a cryin' "Boo-hoo-hoo!" An' jumpin' when you hears a snail! Like ghosts an' things a tramping round! You're scared, that's what you is.

I wouldn't be afraid to go Up to my room an' shut the door! Always a peekin' 'int the bed! A lookin' fer a burglar's head! You're scared, that's what you is.

I'd be ashamed to be so scared! Of everything I seed an' heard! Why ain't you bold and brave like me

No matter what you hear an' see! You're scared, that's what you is.

Few waster see how brave I'd be, Jes' come and go along wid me! In the dark to get my ball! I left out there, 'n' I'll show you all!

You're scared, that's what you is! I'd go alone an' get it, but I waster show you sitties what I brave, brave fellow I can be!

'N' at's why I want you long wid me! You're scared, that's what you is.

—G. W. M.

## The Headless Kind

"The headless horseman" used to be a favorite character with boys."

"I don't know much about headless horsemen, but plenty of people run automobiles that way."

## He Wanted Plain English

Young Sata was reported married and his wife father was out to ascertain the facts. "Hix! Y! Hix! Y! Blackness," called his parent, glancing the record one across the train-yards. "Ye come here! I heeds yo' is doo married—is yo'?"

"I ain't sayin' as how I ain't," replied his son and heir.

"I ain't axin' yo' nix! I see axin' yo' ain't go' is. Is yo'?"

## Relief

Mr. Newly Wed—What makes the baby yell in that way, dear? Mrs. N. W.—His teeth, love. Mr. N. W.—Oh, if that's all, I'll run for a dentist and have them out.—London Saturday Journal.

## Help! Help!

Wife—Merry! What's the matter with your face? You look as though you'd been in a battle. (Hum—) I was getting shaved by a lady barber, when a mouse ran across the floor.

## Plate Dinner

Dinner Say, waiter, your advertisement said: "Dinner a dollar a plate," and my bill is thirteen dollars.

Waiter—But you used thirteen plates, sir.—Chaparral.

## Speak Kindly

Mrs. Owens—"I'm going to the butcher's, Pam. Shall I order the Sunday dinner?" Owens—"No, don't order it, just ask for it. Last month's bill isn't paid yet."

Friendship and Marriage

Cerulines—I will marry you on one condition.

Cerulines—And what is that? Cerulines—That our marriage shall not be allowed to interfere our friendship.—Judge.

## RIVER NEWS

Portsmouth, Dec. 8. Observations taken at 8 a. m. 54th Meridian Time.

Place	Wind	Temp.	Bar.	Humid.	Clouds
Franklin	15	2.6 F.			
Greenboro	18	9.6 F.			
Pittsburgh	22	6.3 F.	1.01		
Wheeling	26	6.0 F.			
Zanesville	25	8.6 F.	1.01		
Parkersburg	26	5.1 F.	1.14		
Christiansburg	30	7.0 F.	1.05		
Pt. Pleasant	10	6.3 F.			
Huntington	50	5.3 F.	1.27		
Portsmouth	50	8.8 F.	1.34		
Cincinnati	50	14.1 F.	1.04	1.2	
Dan No. 29	50	7.0 F.	1.35		

## FORECAST

Wickets up at Huntington. Rain over upper Ohio valley to night and in eastern portion Saturday.

River at Portsmouth will not change much tonight and Saturday.

## F. B. WINTERS.

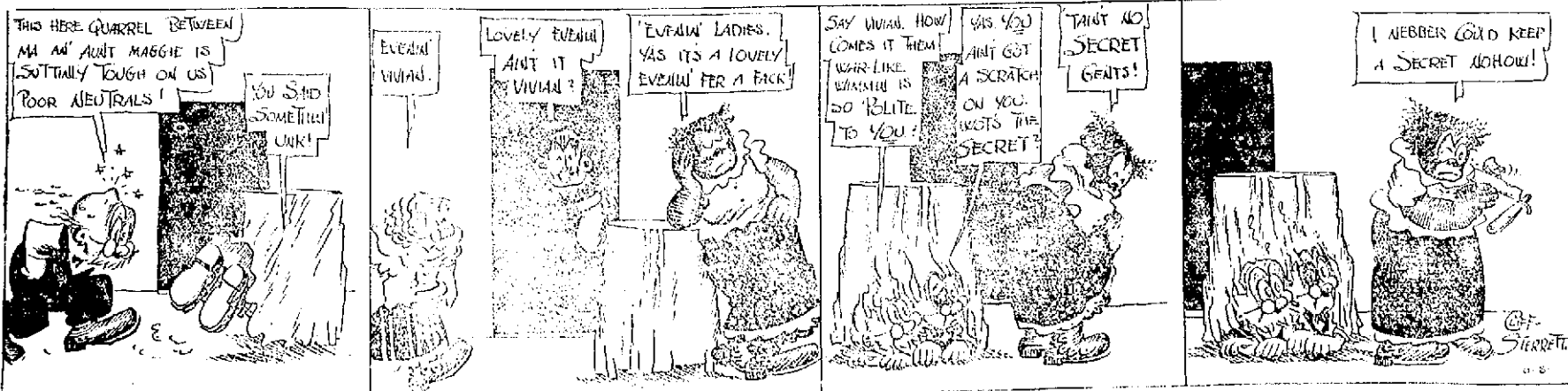
River Observer

The Ohio river was 8.8 ft. and 1/2 inch below Friday morning. The above Mildred Rayson with 1.1 inch below Saturday, at 2 p. m. for River.

## POLLY AND HER PALS.

## Vivian's Neutrality Is—Armed.

## By CLIFF STERRETT



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ELEVEN O'CLOCK

PORTSMOUTH, OHIO

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1916.

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PRICE ONE CENT

ALLIED NATIONS ESTABLISH

BLOCKADE OF GREEK PORTS

MAY ATTEMPT SOLUTION OF

IRISH QUESTION BY MEANS

OF IMPERIAL CONFERENCE

(Bulletin)  
London, Dec. 8.—The Manchester Guardian says that the report that Premier Lloyd George will attempt an immediate solution of the Irish question by means of an imperial conference is not unlikely.

SATISFIED

WITH THE

PHILIPPINE

MEASURE

Washington, Dec. 8.—The Philippine bill, enacted at the last session of congress, "is probably the best organic act ever passed by congress," declared Brigadier General Frank McIntyre, chief of the Bureau of Insular Affairs, in his annual report made public today. General McIntyre finds there is a "general feeling of satisfaction in the islands on the passage of the bill," far greater than was anticipated.

SEAPLANES

RAIDED

TRIESTE

Rome, Via Paris, Dec. 8.—Two Italian seaplanes raided Trieste on Thursday, according to an official statement issued by the admiralty. The statement says that the raiders dropped five bombs on naval sheds and returned unharmed, although subjected to a heavy fire from the Austrian anti-aircraft guns.

Shipped To Huntington  
The household effects of C. C. Brimwell were shipped to his future home in Huntington, W. Va., by L. C. Peck & Co., Thursday. Mr. Brimwell has started a new glove factory in that city.

WEATHER

Ohio—Rain in south and rain or snow in north portion tonight; much colder; Saturday partly cloudy and colder; probably snow flurries near Lake Erie.

HOLLAND AND GERMANY

REACH AN AGREEMENT

ON SHIPMENT OF FOOD

London, Dec. 8.—An Amsterdam despatch to the Times says that the Berlin Vossische Zeitung announces that an agreement has been reached between Holland and Germany regarding the exportation of foodstuffs identical to that existing between Holland and England.

Kaiser Congratulates

The King Of Bavaria

On Bucharest's Fall

Amsterdam, Via London, Dec. 8.—An official announcement from Berlin makes public the following congratulatory message sent by the German emperor to the king of Bavaria respecting the fall of Bucharest:  
"The beaten Rumanian army has abandoned its fortified capital. With God's assistance we have gone a great step forward. Your brave Bavarians did excellently in the mountain fighting."

Catholics Observe Feast Of

Immaculate Conception

New York, Dec. 8.—Owing to the fact that today is a holy day of obligation, the Feast of the Immaculate Conception, Roman Catholics throughout the world are exempted from observing the rule of the church requiring abstinence from meat on Fridays. Up to about five years ago, holy days falling on Fridays carried no such exemption, but the reigning pope at the time, Pius X, issued a decree authorizing the use of meat on Fridays which fell on holy days. The present pope has not changed the ruling.

DECLINES HONORS

OFFERED BY KING

London, Dec. 8.—According to the Chronicle, King George yesterday wrote to former Premier Asquith offering him an ennoblement and the Order of Garter. It is understood that Mr. Asquith asked permission to decline both honors.

EMBARGO ON SHIPMENT

OF COMMODITIES TO EAST

DECLARED BY TWO ROADS

Chicago, Dec. 8.—Embargo orders which practically bar the west from shipment of commodities for export from Atlantic ports or for eastern consumption went into effect on the Pennsylvania Lines and the Erie railroad east of Chicago today.

The orders bar virtually every commodity, the usual exceptions being made, however, for perishable freight in transit and for United States government shipments. H. C. Snyder, assistant general freight agent of the Erie, explained that the order of his road "even applies to live stock to the extent that we no longer accept live stock from connecting lines."

No limit is set on the duration of the embargo, which is attributed to the congestion of loaded freight cars in the yards on the Atlantic Seaboard.

Notice of the embargo was served on the connecting lines by the two roads some time ago. The Pennsylvania order forbids agents to accept freight from connecting lines, which is destined for points east of Pittsburgh. The Erie order fixes Marion, Ohio, as the farthest east point of destination. Staple food stuffs, which do not require cold storage, are forbidden by the embargo from going east of the Pittsburgh-Marion lines. This would apply to potatoes, flour, beet sugar, and canned goods. Such commodities as wheat, corn, building materials and manufacturing articles also are brought under the ban of the embargo orders.

Everybody is sentimental. The truth is that we are all sentimental at heart, whatever our culture. Says Robert M. Gay in the Atlantic Monthly. Even though we appreciate Brahms, shall we not find some pleasure in the repository of the hand organ, and, though we admire Botticelli, shall we utterly condemn "Daisy and Joan?" There are moods in which Jean Ingelow and Mrs. Hemans are not makeshift. The thousands still weep over the death of Little Nell, though the critics sneer.

GEN. DEWIT EARLY

DON'T CRY, LITTLE GIRL, DON'T CRY. YOU HAVE PUT OFF YOUR SHOPPING I KNOW AND THE DAYS WHEN YOU MIGHT HAVE SHOPPED WITH DELIGHT ARE THINGS OF THE LONG AGO BUT STILL THERE IS TIME IF YOU WISH TO BUY DON'T CRY, LITTLE GIRL, DON'T CRY.

NEW ALL BOYS TOILET TOWELS RAW! RAW! DO IT EARLIER.

USE

DO IT EARLIER.

FORCE OF 8,000

RUMANIANS TAKEN

BY THE GERMANS

(Bulletin)  
Berlin, Dec. 8.—(By wireless to Sayville) — The surrender of 8,000 Rumanians is announced by the war office in the official statement.

HEAVY FIGHTING IN

PROGRESS ON THE

MACEDONIAN FRONT

(Bulletin)  
Paris, Dec. 8.—Heavy fighting is in progress on the Macedonian front. Three successive counter-

Expenses Are Double The

Revenue On Panama Canal

Washington, Dec. 8.—Possibility of a recommendation for an increase in Panama Canal tolls is seen in a statement today of canal expenses and revenues for the year ended June 30. Expenses amounted to more than double the receipts of the canal proper, though if the revenues from the Panama railroad are taken into consideration the excess of expenditures over revenues would be only 6.77 per cent, and had there been no slides during the year the revenues would have exceeded expenses. No allowance is made, however, for a depreciation and interest fund which would require \$12,000,000 a year. Total expenses of the combined canal and railroad were \$29,327,504 and the revenues were \$27,339,888, or \$1,987,615 less than the expenses.

King Constantine

Is Reported In

Poor Health

Paris, Dec. 8.—The health of King Constantine is again causing anxiety, according to news from German sources, says a Zurich despatch to the Matin. The old wound in the king's side continues to suppurate, the report says. The king's condition is said to be very weak.

GREECE CAN STAND

SIEGE OF 20 DAYS;

BLOCKADE GOES

IN EFFECT TODAY

(BULLETIN)  
Athens, Dec. 8. (Via London)—The blockade of Greece begins officially at 8 o'clock this (Friday) morning. The members of the British naval mission have been ordered to embark on the Greek trans-Atlantic liner King Constantine. In response to the demand of the entente yesterday for an explanation of the movements of Greek troops, the government has explained that these movements have ceased.

proclaiming a blockade of Greek ports.

Athens, Tuesday, Dec. 5.—via London, Dec. 7.)—Notwithstanding that it is generally believed that the entente blockade will go into effect immediately and without notice, government officials were optimistic after a conference between King Constantine and the Italian minister. It was asserted in government circles that Greece can withstand a siege for twenty days, although districts that can be reached only by water will suffer more quickly.

MARIETTA REMAINS

IN WET COLUMN

Marietta, O., Dec. 8.—Marietta will remain "wet" as the result of yesterday's local election. The wets received 1761 votes and the dries 1677, a majority of 84 for the wets. Marietta has been wet for five years. For three years previous to that it was dry.

FEDERAL JURY

WIDENS PROBE

Chicago, Dec. 8.—The Federal grand jury investigating the high cost of foodstuffs will hear testimony as to conditions in the retail grocery trade, Charles F. Clyne, United States District Attorney, announced today. Mr. Clyne said that a list of nearly 500 grocers for whom summons would be issued within a few days, is being prepared. The announcement indicates a broadening of the scope of the inquiry which heretofore has looked to the examination of wholesalers and producers only.

PRESIDENT

TO SPEAK

Washington, D. C., Dec. 8.—President Wilson will be a speaker tonight before the conference on social insurance in session here. Secretary Redfield will preside, and others scheduled as speakers are: Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor and George Pope, president of the National Association of Manufacturers. The conference today discussed old age and mothers' pensions.



# Reds After New Outfielder; Giants Have Signed Phenom

## TY COBB'S WONDERFUL RECORD AS AMERICAN LEAGUE BATSMAN

Year	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	JR	SB	Pct.
1907	41	150	19	36	6	0	1	2	.240
1908	97	350	41	112	23	15	1	21	.280
1909	150	621	97	212	29	15	6	10	.324
1910	150	581	88	196	36	20	4	39	.321
1911	150	513	116	116	33	10	9	16	.317
1912	140	508	106	146	35	13	8	32	.303
1913	140	501	117	148	37	17	8	32	.320
1914	140	501	117	148	37	17	8	32	.320
1915	140	501	117	148	37	17	8	32	.320
1916	140	501	117	148	37	17	8	32	.320
Totals	1540	5790	1132	2136	332	162	57	639	.309

## GIANTS TO WEAR GAY UNIFORMS

New York, Dec. 8.—Uniforms gay with violet will adorn the members of the New York National baseball club when they play at the Polo Grounds next season. The garb will be gorgeous if not gaudy and not unlike the kind worn in 1915 when the team last won the pennant. The home uniforms will be white with violet pinstripes, violet and white stockings and white caps with violet trimmings. The sweater jackets will be of royal purple. The road uniforms will be blue and gray with violet stockings. The New York club has signed a new pitcher, Sterling Striker, who played last year with the Atlantic Highlands.

Ann Arbor, Mich., Dec. 8.—Cedric C. Smith, of Bay City, Ind., was elected captain of the 1917 football team of the University of Michigan. Smith played full back this season.

## Ping Bodie Prefers Coast

Chicago, Dec. 8.—"Ping" Bodie, former "Tiger" buster of the Chicago Americans, who was purchased by the Philadelphia club of the American league, has advised friends here that he would rather play ball on the Pacific coast than to go east with Connie Mack. The reason is that Mack offered Bodie only \$3,000 a year, and "Ping" can't see this figure.

## Phenom Will Join Giants

Not many semi-professionals jump to fame in short order nowadays, but a youth named Adolph Rettig, living in Newark, N. J., has that opportunity. Rettig pitched an exhibition game against the Giants in September, with the real Giant team facing him, too, but then he quit and struck out eleven of McGraw's men. Now, McGraw wants him, and thinks he can take a place on the firing line right off the reel.

## Paper Towels Disappear

Paper towels have disappeared from wash-rooms of leading local cafes during the past fortnight, owners having discarded the same for the time being, owing to the high cost of paper.

## Seek a position through TIMES WANT ADS.

Employers of labor read them carefully.

## VIGOROUS MEN AND WOMEN ARE IN DEMAND

If your ambition has left you, your happiness has gone forever unless you take advantage of Wurster Bros' magnificent offer to refund your money on the first box purchased if Wendell's Ambition Pills do not put your entire system in fine condition and give you the energy and vigor you have lost.

Be ambitious, be strong, be vigorous. Bring the ruddy glow of health to your cheeks and the right sparkle that denotes perfect manhood and womanhood to your eyes.

Wendell's Ambition Pills the great nerve tonic, can't be beat for that tired feeling, nervous troubles, poor blood, headaches, neuralgia, restlessness, trembling, nervous prostration, mental depression, loss of appetite and kidney or liver complaints.

In two days you will feel better. In a week you will feel fine, and after taking one box you will have your old-time confidence and ambition.

Be sure and get a 50 cent box today and get out of the rut. Remember Wurster Bros. and dealers everywhere are authorized to guarantee them. Mail orders filled, charges prepaid by The Wendell Pharmaceutical Company, Inc., Syracuse, N. Y.

## KEEP IT HANDY



## Pennsy May Play Yale

New Haven, Conn., Dec. 8.—Recent reports that the University of Pennsylvania would be given a place on Yale's football schedule next fall were refuted again today when it became known that "Bobby" Russell, of the Pennsylvania eleven, had an informal talk today with Prof. R. N. Corwin, chairman of the Yale Board of Athletic Control.

## EAST HAS IT ON THE WESTERN ELEVEN

Eastern football seems to be superior to that of the west. Six intercollegiate games have been staged this year, and the east has triumphed in five. The only victory for the west was the half-raising battle which Michigan won from Syracuse, 14 to 10.

The eastern accomplishments were: Colgate 13, Illinois 3. This 12, Indiana 0. Army 20, Notre Dame 10. Cornell 14, Michigan 20. Pennsylvania 10, Michigan 7.

## Iowa Boy Is Yale Captain

New Haven, Conn., Dec. 8.—Artemus L. Gates, of Clinton, Iowa, was today elected captain of the Yale football team for next season. He has been on the varsity eleven two years as an end and tackle. His work in the Princeton and Harvard games this fall was brilliant.

## Bowling Is On The Boom

Chicago, Dec. 8.—Bowling is on the boom in Chicago if the big entry list for the annual tournament of the Chicago Bowling Association is taken as an indication. The tournament, which opens Dec. 2, has 400 five men teams entered, 1,027 doubles and 2,045 singles, a tremendous increase over last season. Prize money aggregating \$5,000 will be awarded.

## Johnson In United States

Chicago, Dec. 8.—Federal operatives are trailing Jack Johnson, the negro pugilist, in the east. Charles P. Clyne, United States district attorney, said today, Clyne is confident that Johnson, who jumped his bond and fled to Europe after being convicted in Chicago on white slave charges, has returned to this country.

## Back From Motor Trip

Attorney D. Willard Gustin returned Thursday evening from a four day motor trip to Columbus.

## Get busy, men! Don't let the fact that you are temporarily out of a job make your whole future look black. Read TIMES WANT ADS.

## SLOAN'S LINIMENT EASES PAIN

Sloan's Liniment is first thought of by mothers for bumps, bruises and sprains that are continually happening to children. It quickly penetrates and soothes without rubbing. Cleaner and more effective than musky plaster or ointments. For rheumatic aches, neuralgia pain and that grippy soreness after colds.

Sloan's Liniment gives prompt relief. Have a bottle handy for bruises, strains, sprains and all external pain. For the thousands whose work calls them outdoors, the pains and aches following exposure are relieved by Sloan's Liniment. At all Druggists, 25c.

## FOR IT'S DANDY

Our vintage wines and liquors cap the climax of top notch quality. Purity, perfect distilling and finest grains go into our matchless whiskies. Imported whiskies of perfect blends.

## The Glockner & Meyer Co.

451-453 Front Street

## Hickey Heads A. A.

Indianapolis, Dec. 8.—Thomas J. Hickey of Minneapolis, will be elected president of the American Association at the annual meeting of the club owners here today to succeed Thomas W. Chivington, according to a poll taken after all night conferences. Up until an early hour this morning it appeared that Chivington would retain his position, but O. H. Wathen, president of the Louisville club, who held the balance of power, dispelled doubt by his announcement that he would support the Minneapolis candidate.

## To Retain Speedy Rush

Princeton, N. J., Dec. 8.—The poor showing made by Princeton this year against Yale and Harvard has not shaken the faith of Princeton undergraduates and alumni in their support of John "Speedy" Rush, coach of the Tiger football squad, despite the criticism of his work by many sons of Old Nassau. Rumors that Rush was to be replaced as chief mentor of the Tiger forces have provoked a storm of protests.

## Goodly Number Filed

The number of attachment suits filed in a day at the local justice-of-the-peace courts is not a fair indication of the business conditions of the city, according to Squire John W. Byron. Although there are not quite so many suits now being filed as there were two years ago, there are still a goodly number, the squire says. "I have noticed a decrease in the number of cases since the prosperous times have arrived, but still there are lots of people who will not pay their bills."

## George W. Fritz, if general store keeper of Coal Grove, purchased a ton of Christmas candies while in Portsmouth Wednesday.

He is a brother of John Fritz, popular clerk of the public service department.

## The Somme in Ancient History.

The river Somme, in France, is the classical Somme that played an important part in the earliest recorded annals of old Gaul. It gave the ancient name of Samarobria to modern Amiens, where Caesar held a meeting of the Gaulish tribes in the autumn of B. C. 54 and in which he made his headquarters during the following winter. It was from the estuary of the Somme, according to a plausible theory, that Caesar started on his second invasion of Britain.—Westminster Gazette.

## To Resume Work On Ironton Waterworks

Work in general is soon to be started upon every division of the new water works system in Ironton, said the Irontonian of that city Friday morning.

Desidero and Settle Co., the contracting firm which has the contract for constructing the pumping station and putting in the well and intake tunnel, will be ready to commence work by the first of next week, and work right along until the work is completed.

This division of the water works system is to cost \$863,500.

The New York Continental Filtration Company, which has the contract of putting in the filtration plant and sedimentation basins, are here ready to go to work, and work upon this division will soon be in full blast.

The Mercy Construction Co., has the excavation for the reservoir about half completed.

## "THE MEDICINE WITH A GUARANTEE"

Blackie Stomach and Liver Tablets

With us there is no fumbling with the English language—you know the backs—they cost you 25c, we pay back 50c in they fail. Nothing could be stated in a more positive way and you owe it to your health to give them a trial at once. They are a natural enemy to Constipation, Indigestion, Neuralgia of the stomach, Biliousness, Headache, Sallow complexion and Canker Tongue. Most all the common ailments peculiar to women can be traced to these sources and these tablets will relieve many delicate conditions. They will do more good than all the medicine you ever used; if not, go back and get the money. Next time, ask your druggist for the same medicine with the guarantee. For sale by all druggists.

## Healthy Ways bring Happy Days

The way is



CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS

GENUINE DOG'S SIGNATURE

## Furey Completes Card

Of local interest the Cincinnati Enquirer Thursday said, Manager Barney Furey, of the Portsmouth (Ohio) Athletic Club writes the sporting editors of the Enquirer that he has completed his card for the next show of the club on Wednesday, December 13.

The main event will be between Dave Embury, of Cincinnati, and Matty Callif, of Columbus, Ohio. They will box 10 rounds at 135 pounds. The semi-final will be eight rounds between Joe Berger, of Newport, Ky., and Eddie Jenkins, of Portsmouth, Ohio. The preliminary will also be an eight-round affair. Jim Walker and Joe Murphy will be the contestants. Manager Furey will referee all bouts. Furey is making his headquarters at the Senate, 418 Chillicothe street. He expects to be in Cincinnati next Monday to make final arrangements for the bouts.

## Decree Is Granted

Martha Russ was given a divorce by Judge Thomas, common pleas court, Thursday afternoon from her husband William Russ. The ground upon which the decree was awarded was extreme cruelty. The plaintiff was restored to her maiden name, Martha Russell. Blair and Kimble represented the petitioner.

## 27 From Mayor's Court

Some idea as to the number of strangers drifting here through the industrial activity of Portsmouth may be gained by a study of the present special grand jury's work.

Out of 30 cases put up to the grand jury, 27 came up from Mayor Kaps' police court. They were chiefly for carrying concealed weapons. Practically all of the offenders were non-residents.

## Will Probated

The last will of the late Thomas H. Platt, Union township, was filed for probate Thursday. All of the property is bequeathed to two sons, Louis M. and August. The two sons are to act as executors without bond.

## The latest telephone wires in Portsmouth are those leading to the TIMES WANT AD department.

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## THE FUTURE PROMISE

A New York financial writer of national repute, reviewing present conditions and the outlook for the future, observes that the giving out of \$65,000 in naval construction contracts, this week, the immense orders being filed by railroads for rails, locomotive cars and materials of every kind that railways need, the vastness of the automobile demands, the expansion and extension of electric construction work, the great boom in mining of all minerals, the continuing demand for machinery of every class and kind, the very noticeable activity in all agricultural districts in way of preparation for large areas of cultivation, with more intensive farming—these all contribute to the huge business which is now perceived will be recorded in 1917.

We take the one dominating figure in all this to be the spurring on to bigger and better farming. This country has millions of acres that have never been "tickled by the plow," it has far more millions of acres the productive of which can be increased anywhere from 25 to 100 percent. Steady, substantial progress is being made to this end. With the incentive of prices that promise more than comfort this development will take on increased and even rapid acceleration. We see evidences of it here in Scioto county. Old as it is in settlement it is not unusual to see new tracts being cleared and prepared for cultivation while every year her farmers are learning more and more about farming and putting their learning into practice. No saying is more common than that all wealth comes from the soil and a truth not so generally repeated is that the prosperity, which is built upon a highly developed rural population is the steadiest and most solid of all.

The writer referred to also notes that uneasiness as to conditions to follow the war has practically vanished. It is not likely hostilities will come to a climax for many months yet and when they do come it is realized that Europe must continue to be a larger buyer here for a period of years. The process of rehabilitation over there, the resumption of industrial activity to a point where production will exceed her own demands is going to be necessarily hard and tedious and it will be a long time before she will be able to compete with America on anything like even terms.

If this thing keeps up it will not be necessary for the Republicans to hold a primary in the year of grace 1918. D. Willard Gustin has now laid claim to the prosecuting attorneyship and Russell Becker is packing the county treasurer'ship away in his grip.

There is a tremendous sentiment in the city against the sale of the Children's Home site as building lots. It is felt that the move to take the Home to the country is a wise one, but the people generally feel that the present site should be preserved as a city park. Portsmouth is going to be a big city one of these days and it behooves her to be thinking of breathing spaces for the future.

They had real breakfasts in the days of old Samuel Pepys, and not the kind we get from Battle Creek, Michigan, in these days of scientific living and germs on everything loose. Thus Pepys tells us "this morning Mr. Shelpy and I did eat our breakfast at Mrs. Harper's (my brother John being with me) upon a cold turkey pie and a goose." Now just imagine that sort of a menu set out in these glorious times. But even in 1659 they had to fight with substitution and adulteration for further on Pepys says, "I took my wife to my cozen, Thomas Pepys, and found them just sat down to dinner which was very good; only the venison pastry was palpable mutton, which was not handsome."

Two whole days have passed us by since McElhaney and Sprague burst forth upon the congressional horizon and all is still dark in the vicinity of the Hon. Mark A. Crawford.

Wilson has made another admirable record. He has read to congress the shortest message ever delivered to it.

Mighty fine weather to do Christmas shopping.

Always one fad or another is raging. Now it is censusing. Chicago is taking an egg census, England is counting her potatoes and Boston is figuring on beans.

Was there anything peculiarly suggestive in the fact that simultaneously with the news of the death of John D. Archbold, president of Standard Oil of New Jersey, came the announcement of a sharp advance in crude petroleum?

However, when the football players whose pictures you saw yesterday are dressed up in citizens' clothing, they don't look so much as if they had escaped from somewhere.—Kansas City Star.

In speaking of humane acts let us not forget the case of the Georgia man who has equipped his near-sighted hunting dog with spectacles. The faithful animal can now see the lynchings much better.—Grand Rapids Press.

If, as it has been said, the Rumanians went into the war for what they could get, it seems to be the all too solemn fact that they are getting it now.—Springfield Union.

Billy Sunday has definitely decided to begin his campaign in New York next spring, but the Nashville Banner says there is a strong disposition among other sections of the county to let New York go there—now that she isn't pivotal.—Arkansas Gazette.

## TRUMPED



## YOUR HEALTH THIS WINTER

A few weeks more and out-door sports will have fallen to the vanishing point, and the penalties attached to living indoors will be assessed by nature. It might be well for everyone to make an effort to reduce the handicap, imposed by the season to a minimum.

It can be done if people will secure as nearly as possible the same amount of fresh air that they live in during the spring, summer and fall months, and substitute some form of recreation for the outdoor sports now almost closed.

It goes without saying that sleep should be in a well ventilated room. A quick sponge bath in cool water followed by a brisk rub starts the day right and is a bulwark against acute respiratory diseases.

Five minutes' exercise before breakfast, with or without apparatus, sends the blood coursing to all parts of the body. Eat enough but do not gorge, for overeating is almost as potent a factor in the causation of acute colds as is exposure to a polluted atmosphere.

Masticate your food thoroughly. Fifty "chews" to the bite of food will develop flavors that are not dreamed of by one who bolts his food, and ront evidences of indigestion more quickly than a doctor's prescription.

Walk in the open air two, three, four or more blocks before taking your car for business, breathing deeply—to the full capacity of your lungs.

Avoid poorly ventilated places of business or amusement, and, if compelled by force of circumstances to enter such an atmosphere walk a half mile if possible after leaving it, breathing deeply as you go along.

Get your regular allowance of sleep for it is during sleep that nature repairs the wear and tear of waking hours. Anything in that line, left undone, furnishes a weak spot in the line of defense through which disease may gain access to the body.

Try these few simple suggestions. You will feel better, do your work more efficiently, save doctor's fees and disappoint the funeral directors.

## A SHORT AND LONG SPRING

A little girl wrote this composition on men: "Men are what women marry. They drink and smoke and swear, but don't go to church. Perhaps if they wore bonnets they would. They are more logical than women and also more zoological. Both men and women sprung from monkeys, but the women sprung further than the men."

The way prices keep going up makes one wish that when Sir Isaac Newton invented gravitation he had made it a little stronger.—Indianapolis News.

Will there ever come a time when an invincible and imperishable democracy will know the sweet comfort and peace of a period when it is all postoffice distribution and no hat-passing?—Houston Post.



NEW-YORK-DAY-BY-DAY.  
O. O. MCINTYRE.

New York, Dec. 8.—Bido Dudley used to write short stories out in Denver before he came to Gotham. One he wrote had as many thrills as Diamond Jim has jewels. That was years ago. Now go on with the story.

Dudley and a friend were having a midnight meal on Eighth avenue. Two newspapermen at a nearby table were talking. One remarked about a vaudeville skit he had seen the night before on Broadway. Then he began to relate the story in detail.

When he had reached a certain point, Dudley walked over to the table. "Pardon me," he said, "would you mind if I finished the story for you?" It surprised them, but they acquiesced. So Dudley took up the tale.

After he had finished it was admitted that the story ended just like the vaudeville skit. The next night Dudley went to the theatre and saw the playlet. It was the story he had written years ago in Denver. But the trouble was that he did not know in what magazine it had appeared.

He wrote to various editors who knew nothing of it and then he wrote back to his mother in Kansas, who treasures his stories as only a mother can. She found the story in an old trunk and sent it on.

Dudley limited up the producer, who at first denied it, and then later acknowledged the corn. After several conferences Dudley was given a check for \$500.

I don't know any more about the game of golf than the man who, when asked if he knew about the game, said that he didn't even know which end of the caddy to use. The other day I saw a sign in the window of a department store, which read "Golf Hose." I wondered if the hose is used for serving the tee. All of which is a pretty bum wheeze, but it fills space.

John Phillip Sousa believes that the way to wake up the country that preparedness is necessary is to give them the idea in music. Accordingly he has introduced the song, "Wako Up America" at the Hippodrome at each performance and then has the

audience join in the chorus. The singing can be heard clearly over on Broadway every afternoon and night and at the conclusion, when a big American flag is dropped, many throw their hats away. It is stealing George Cohan's stuff—but they get away with it nicely at the Hip.

There is much speculation as to what will be done if the movies close on Sunday in New York. The argument is made that the better movie theatres could get along without movies. By that it is meant that their large orchestras of 150 pieces, bring the crowds.

The Rialto and the Strand are the best. And if they cannot exhibit pictures it may be that they will give Sunday afternoon and evening concerts like the "Kurstals" in Ostend, where a tremendous orchestra gives the best music to capacity audiences. Music lovers argue that the success of the Rialto and Strand is due to 99 per cent music and 10 per cent pictures.

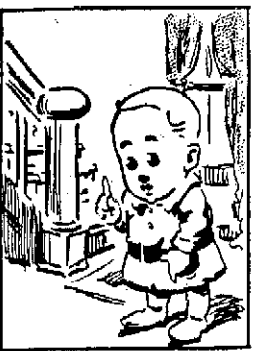
The Y. M. C. A. has introduced a course in New York on "How to Become a Book Agent"—it seems that statistics show that men who have been successfully selling books make the best type of salesmen in any other line, the idea being that if a young man can go out into the cruel world and sell books his future is absolutely assured. There is one book agent in New York who still canvasses from door to door, but is said to be worth a million. He has an average of 8 sales to every ten calls.

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And yelling and banging the doors and the chairs

And raising old Cain both down and upstairs;

No one likes these things and Koot Poots avoid them.

You'll never hear folks say that Koot Poots annoyed them.

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## To Take Job in Arcade

E. C. Wallace has resigned his position as chef in the Bismark Cafe on Gallia street and will enter the employ of Gus Homer next Monday, when the latter opens his new Arcade saloon on Chillicothe street, near Fourth.

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I wouldn't be afraid like you, Always a cryin' "Boo-hoo-hoo." An' jumpin' when you hears a soun'

Like ghosts an' things a trampin' round;

You're scared, that's what you is.

I wouldn't be afraid to go Up to my room an' shut the do; Always a peekin' hint the bed; A lookin' for a burglar's head; You're scared, that's what you is.

I'd be ashamed to be so scared Of everything I seed an hyerd, Why ain't you bold and brave like me

No matter what you hear an' see? You're scared, that's what you is.

'Few want to see how brave I'd be, Jes' come and go along wid me Out in the dark to get my ball I left out there, 'n I'll show you all;

You're scared, that's what you is.

I'd go alone an' get it, but I want to show you sities what A brave, brave fellow I can be 'N at's why I want you long wid me.

You're scared, that's what you is. —O. W. M.

## The Headless Kind

"The headless horseman used to be a favorite character with novelists."

"I don't know much about headless horsemen, but plenty of people 'run automobiles that way."

## Easy Answer

First Flea—Been on a vacation? Second Flea—Nopex; on a tramp. —Pennsylvania Punch Bowl.

## He Wanted Plain English

Young Sam was reported married and his irate father was out to ascertain the facts. "Hey! Y! Limb o' Blackness," railed his parent, glimpsing the recent one across the train-yards, "Yo' come herq I henbs yo' is done married—is yo'?"

"I ain't sayin' as how I ain't," coyly replied his son and heir. "I ain't axin' yu' ain't, I se axin' yu' ain't yo' is. Is yo'?"

## Relief

Mr. Newly Wed—What makes the baby yell in that way, dear?

Mrs. N. W.—His teeth, love.

Mr. N. W.—Oh, if that's all, I'll run for a dentist and have them out.—London Saturday Journal.

## Help! Help!

Wife—Merry! What's the matter with your face? You look as though you'd been in a battle.

Hub—I was getting shaved by a lady barber, when a mouse ran across the floor.

## Plate Dinner

Dyer—Say, waiter, your advertisement said: "Dinner a dollar a plate," and my bill is thirteen dollars.

Waiter—But you used thirteen plates, sir.—Chaparral.

## Speak Kindly

Mrs. Owens—"I'm going to the butcher's, Tom. Shall I order the Sunday dinner?"

Owens—"No, don't order it; just ask for it. Last month's bill isn't paid yet."

## Friendship and Marriage

Geraldine—I will marry you on one condition.

Gerald—And what is that?

Geraldine—That our marriage shall not be allowed to interrupt our friendship.—Judge.

## Wise Willie

"Now, Willie, what are aster-olds?"

"I know, teacher. They're the things the doctor cuts out of your nose when your folks want to make a good boy of you."

## Desperate

Little Lydia had been given a new ring for Christmas, which none of the guests at the Christmas dinner had noticed. Finally, being unable to stand the obscurity any longer, she remarked:

"Oh, dear, I'm so warm in my new ring."—Exchange.

## Kon Skids

He—Did you see those motors skid?

She—How dare you call me that!—London Opinion.

## Reason Enough

"Funny habit Smith has of dropping his chin on his collar."

"Oh, I don't know; his wife buys his cravats."—Ex.

## Did She Step In?

"I saw Gortie getting into her Chalmers."

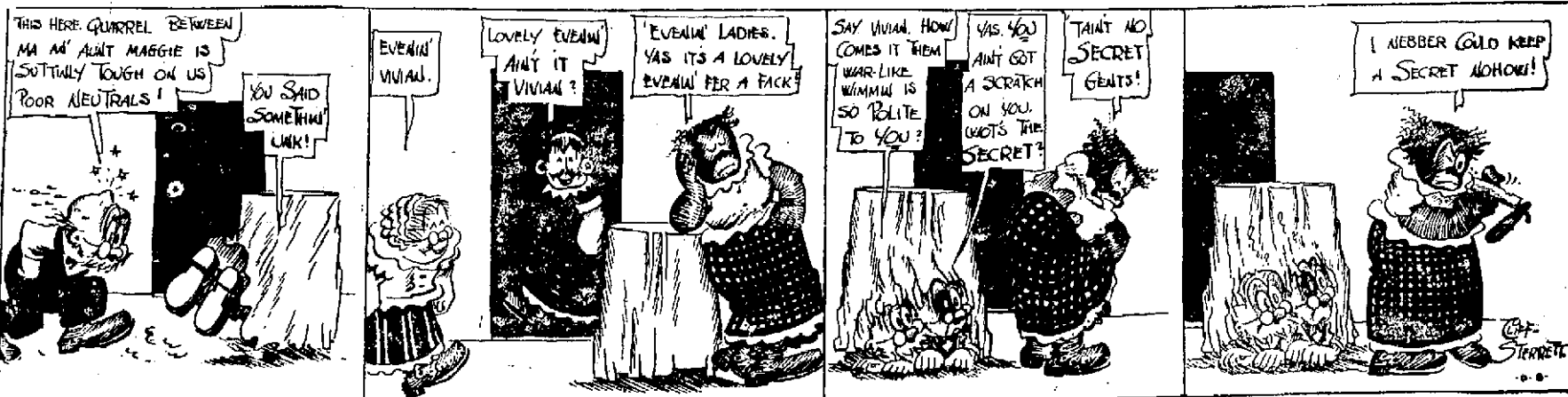
"What are Chalmers?"—Cornell Widow.

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## POLLY AND HER PALS.

## Vivian's Neutrality Is—Armed.

By CLIFF STERRETT



# Board Of Trade Stands For World Peace And Prosperity

## Wilson Urged To Name Peace Board; Peerless Is After The Armor Plant; Great Banquet Enjoyed

### HEADLIGHTS ON THE BANQUET

Action favoring the appointment of an unofficial commission by President Wilson to devise some plan to bring about peace in war stricken Europe.

The endorsement of the directors' action, protesting the sale of the Children's Home property.

A resolution endorsing the movement to promote a Bureau of Community Service.

The appointment of a committee to formulate a plan to lead the new \$11,000,000 government armor plant for Portsmouth.

The moral support of the organization was pledged to secure the Daylight Saving Plan for the city.

A lighting system for the towpath was heartily endorsed.

The election of Vallee Harold as president of the board and the selection of an enthusiastic board of directors.

Big things were planned for Greater Portsmouth and Scioto county Thursday evening at the annual meeting and banquet of the board of trade, held at the Washington hotel. The enthusiasm which marked the inauguration of the work contemplated for the coming year, presages much success. Many important endorsements and resolutions were enacted, several of which may mean much for the welfare of this city. Active steps are to be taken—and taken at once—in an effort to secure the new \$11,000,000 government armor plant for this city. And in a small but sincere way, a movement was started for the appointment of an unofficial commission by President Wilson to prepare plans for bringing about peace in the European countries. Action was taken favoring the promotion of the Bureau of Community Service, the lighting of the

### PRESIDENT KNAUSS IN WASHINGTON

Frank V. Knauss, the retiring president, was unable to attend the meeting, having been sent by the board to Washington to present to Secretary of War Newton D. Baker a copy of a resolution favoring the raising of a low bridge across the Allegheny river near Pittsburgh, Pa., so that an uninterrupted river passage might be had from here to the Allegheny valley.

It was near seven o'clock when the members of the organization assembled in the well appointed and handsomely decorated banquet room of the Washington hotel. Toward the front was one long table, at which the speakers, the directors and officers of the board of trade were seated. Paralleling this were many similar tables.

Small glass candle sticks with pale green shades shed a pleasing light over the festive board. When the 193 guests had gathered, Rev. Lloyd Streeker, pastor of the Trinity Methodist church, gave invocation. Still standing at their places, one hundred and ninety-three voices blended in the sweet melody of the national hymn.

Then the serving began and white coated waiters whisked here and there, serving course after course of good things. Laughter blended with enthusiastic conversations and everyone became acquainted with his neighbor over coffee cups and dainty dishes.

When the last course was served W. H. Anderson, acting president, explained that Frank V. Knauss, the retiring president, was unable to attend on account of his absence from the city. "Somehow I

### PLEA FOR PEACE IN EUROPE

L. C. Turley was introduced by Mr. Anderson, who added that a resolution would be presented for the consideration of the members. Mr. Turley explained that a resolution favoring the creation of an unofficial commission to devise a plan for establishing peace in Europe had been prepared. The resolution, which is as follows, was unanimously adopted:

"Whereas, There is a growing feeling among the great common thinking people of American that the monstrous slaughter of millions of men and untold suffering of tens of millions of women and children in Europe, is not only horrible, but futile, inasmuch as there can be no real conclusion or decision other than hopeless, desperate exhaustion of one or all of the people of those countries at strife, and that therefore peace might as well and as fairly be made now as after further destruction and infinitely better for

feel that we are going to miss Mr. Knauss' wet and dry humor," explained Mr. Anderson. "For years he has been an officer and director of the board of trade. He has been one of its staunch supporters; always ready and willing to give his time and resources toward the things for which it stands."

A letter from Mr. Knauss was read in which he stated his regret of inability to be present and expressed his appreciation for the co-operation accorded him while president.

"One of the first things I desire to say," continued Mr. Anderson, after reading the letter, "is that the board of trade has accomplished much in the past year. First, it has drafted a resolution notifying our senators and congressmen that we favored a permanent tariff commission. The directors also passed a resolution as fully momentous, protesting against the sale of the Children's Home property. This resolution I am sure you are all familiar with and have seen in the Times only this evening, what action was taken by the various women's clubs."

"The board of trade has permanent offices and a secretary who is on the job all the time. There is a permanent head. The interests of the city are looked after as best we know how."

"I rejoice in the large attendance here tonight which is only an evidence of the interest of the board of trade. You have elected for your new president, a man sure to be second to none in filling the position; a man of ability and enthusiasm."

Resolved, That we hereby earnestly petition Hon. Woodrow Wilson, president of the United States of America, that he appoint an unofficial commission to devise some plan, or to conceive some thought, which may be followed out in such a manner that cannot justly offend any of our friends at war and which may quickly culminate in a peace without further dishonor or humiliation to any of these great common people who are so loyally, heroically, and blindly, destroying themselves.

And we would most respectfully pray that five or seven members of such commission be selected of our most able men of national or

## ALAN JORDAN BUYS THE BEN KING FARM

Alan N. Jordan, proprietor of The Washington Hotel, added to his valuable property holdings Thursday afternoon when he purchased the Ben King farm, located just above Fullerton, Ky., and directly opposite the vast plant of the Whitaker-Glessner company.

The farm includes 50 acres of bottom land and 123 acres of level ground above the 1913 flood. Mr. Jordan bought the property as an investment and the price paid was \$20,165. He eventually expects to open a new addition in it.

The property was sold at a public sale held in Greencup yesterday. It was conducted by Master Commissioner A. V. Pollock. There were two other bidders, aside from Mr. Jordan, whose first bid was \$20,000. Dr. G. T. Atkins then bid above this sum, but Mr. Jordan did not stop at these figures and the farm was finally "knocked down" to him at \$20,165.

The King farm has long been considered one of the most valuable tracts of land in Greencup county, Kentucky.

## PLANS FOR FINANCIAL CAMPAIGN WILL BE DISCUSSED AT MEETING

The general committee on the arrangements for permanent organization of the Bureau of Community Service and the captains, selected Thursday will meet at noon Friday

at the Y. W. C. A., where plans for the financial campaign, which will be waged next week, will be discussed. The Bureau of Community Service is a merger of the interests of the Associated Charities and the Anti-Tuberculosis League, with a view of gaining maximum efficiency in social welfare, charity and tuberculosis work.

## To Close Road For Final Touches

Gallia pike between Sciotoville and Wheelersburg will be closed to traffic Sunday all day and evening, according to

John J. Harper, county engineer. During this time the final touches will be placed on the

road and Monday morning the entire stretch of 2.95 miles of paving will be opened for travel. Thursday evening the pike between Lindsay Hollow and Wheelersburg was opened. There yet remains about 900 feet of paving and about two hundred feet of concrete base to be completed.

Back From St. Louis. Capt. Frank White has returned from St. Louis, where he was recently called by the death of his brother, the late Commodore Charles White, for many years a highly esteemed citizen of this city.

### PLACES BOUNTY ON RAT TAILS

Here's a chance for Portsmouth "kiddies" to earn some easy Christmas money. Leo Sommer, of the hardware firm of Sommer Bros., has declared war on rats and expects to wage a vigorous campaign against them.

Mr. Sommer hopes to interest Young America in doing the fighting for him. He is out with an offer to pay one

cent for every rat tail brought to him from now until New Year's day. Mr. Sommer is an avowed enemy of the rodent, which he says does untold damage the year round and so eager is he to begin his warfare, that he is not placing any restrictions as to where the boys should do their killing, garbage dumps or anywhere they may choose.

## COUPLE DISAGREE

According to reports, Frank Goltz, a drayman, of No. 115 Second street, and his bride of about two months, Mrs. Katie E. Goltz, have agreed to disagree.

Differences as to the manner of conducting their household are said to have led to the separation. Both have been married before. Mrs. Goltz was formerly the wife of Frank E. Hauck, a foreman in the Irving Draw shoe factory.

## STOGIE ROLLERS GRANTED INCREASE

Wheeling, W. Va., Dec. 8.—The demands of the stogie rollers for an advance in wages of \$1 per thousand have been granted by all but two manufacturers in Wheeling. Nearly 1,200 persons are engaged in the manufacture of stogies here.

Mr. Marconnet Home. Harley Marconnet, who travels for a Cincinnati firm, is home from a seven weeks' successful trip.

Push Cart Stolen. Emerson Carlton, of No. 1311 Walder street, reported to the police Thursday that someone stole his push cart.

## New Bridge Bathed In Light; Plan On To Light Towpath

The handsome new Scioto river bridge in the West End was lighted for the first time Thursday evening.

Many automobile parties visited the bridge and inspected the brilliantly lighted

structure. Everyone who visited it was well pleased with the new system of lighting.

Already there is a plan launched to continue the lighting effect across the tow path.

Alan N. Jordan at the annual banquet of the board of trade Thursday evening, stated that the commissioners were ready to consider the project.

## ADDRESS IS POSTPONED

The address on "Physics," to have been given in the N. & W. Y. M. C. A. tonight, has been postponed until Friday, December 15.

Leaves Hospital. Kenneth Finger, of Twelfth street, who recently underwent an operation for appendicitis, was able to leave the Hempstead hospital Thursday.

WANTED.—Cook and other female help. Whitaker-Glessner Restaurant. 7-nx2t

## R. L. Willis Being Held

Although London, O., authorities telegraphed that they would send someone after R. L. Willis, alias Carr, alias Holland, whom R. E. Hughes, a young farmer of that place, caused to be arrested on a charge of stealing his motorcycle, no officer had yet arrived from that town Friday.

Meet Me At Nye's Fountain. 12tf

Four kinds of fish: Halibut, Catfish, Groupers, Rod Snapper. Phone 914-L, Joseph's Grocery. n. x. 1f

## Sheriff Gets Writ In Ironton Bond Case

Ironton, Dec. 8.—The writ of mandamus from the supreme court, ordering City Auditor Percy W. Denn to sign the \$375,000 water bonds issue forthwith, was received by Sheriff Glenn Sloan, Thursday.

Mr. Denn was out of the city Thursday and the sheriff was unable to serve the writ on him, but will do so at the earliest possible moment.

## Clothes Line Raided

Sneak thieves took the most valuable pieces of a family washing off a clothes-line in the rear yard of the home of Edward Ellsesser, an N. & W. boilermaker helper, of No. 2317 Grant street, Thursday evening. Mr. Ellsesser at the time was in a shed on the rear end of the lot and heard someone in the yard, but thought it was his wife. The police were notified, but found no trace of the stolen clothes.

## Firemen Will Celebrate

City firemen are preparing to celebrate the motorization of Portsmouth's fire department with a banquet, the date of which has not as yet been determined.

Besides local officials, the mayors and chiefs of police and fire departments of Ironton, Ashland and Huntington will be the invited guests of the firemen.

Safety Director E. K. S. Clink embargoed stated Thursday that he expected the remaining pieces of motor fire apparatus to arrive here from Columbus next Monday or Tuesday.

## K Boys Will Vote

The election of officers in the Seventh Regiment, Ohio National Guards, will take place Saturday afternoon and evening. All private and officers are expected to vote. The nominees are: Tom O. Croser and private in the regiment will be eligible to vote.

Capt. J. W. Keyek, of Company K, announced Friday that the ar-

## Holy Day Observed

Services at St. Mary's church Friday morning, in observance of the Feast of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin, were well attended. Devotional services and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament will be held this evening at 7:30 o'clock.

## LEONARD STEGMAN INJURED IN FALL

Tripping over a raised stone in a sidewalk on McConnell avenue, Thursday, Leonard Stegman, well-known employee of the Selly Shoe company, lost his balance and fell, striking his left shoulder upon the sidewalk. His left collar-bone and a bone in the left arm were fractured. Dr. James W. Fitch was called and the fractures were reduced.

Mr. Stegman had been over to the home of Val Heisel, Franklin avenue, and was returning home when the accident occurred. He was reported to be resting somewhat easier Friday, although it will be several weeks before he will have complete use of his left arm.

Mr. Heisel has been ill for the past week.

## Damage Suit May Result From Scrap

It is understood that, through his attorney, L. R. Andrews, Charles Collett, editor of the Ironton News, will be arrested on a charge of assault and battery, says the Ironton News Friday morning. There were no developments in the case Thursday, except that Collett retained Attorney Andrews to look after his interests.

## Thieves Visit Greenlawn

Residents in the vicinity of Greenlawn cemetery reported to the police that they saw two men stirring around in Greenlawn cemetery Wednesday night, at nine o'clock. They suspected that the pair were bent on robbing graves. Officers hurried to the scene, but found no signs of the men. Supt. Henry Cline said no graves had been disturbed.